山五十月四年三十緒光

HONG KONG, SATURDAY, MAY 7TH, 1887.

六拜禮 號六月五英港香

PRICE \$23 PER MONTH

SHELLING

ARRIVALS. May 6, TETARTOS, Gorman steamer, 1,587, T. P tersen, Nagasaki 30th April, Coals .-

SIEMSSEN & Co. May 6, ESMERALDA, British steamer, 395, G. A. Taylor, Manila Srd May, General .-RUBBELL & Co.

May 6, GALLEY OF LORNE, British steamer, 1,380, Pomroy, Kobe 29th April, General.-RUSSELL & Co.

May 6, CAMELOT, British steamer, 1,040, J. Daily, Singapore 29th April, Rice.—Bun HIN CHAN. May 6, Ningro, British steamer, 762, F. Schulz, 905-01

Shanghai 2nd May, General.—Stemssen & May 6, PORT AUGUSTA, British steamor, 1,858, Jas. Hogg, Saigon 2nd May, Rice and Pad-

dy.-ADAMSON, BELL & Co. May 6, Talsang, British steamer, 1,505, T. L. Davies, Calcutta, Penang, and Singapore 30th April, Opium and General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

May 6, SARPEDON, British steamer, 1,592, Chrimes, Shanghai and Swatowith May, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. May 6, DAFILA, British steamer, 552, J. Watts,

Haiphong 3rd May, General.—A. R. MAE-May 6, Nojezdrik, Russian corvette, Zarja, Singapore 30th April.

May 6, ALWINE, German steamer, 400, Samuelsen, Haiphong 3rd May, and Hoihow 5th, General.-WILLER & Co. May 6, GREYHOUND, British steamer, 227.

Wright, Pakhoi 3rd May, and Holhow 5th, General, -ADAMSON, BELL & Co. May 6, ALVAH, British steamer, 1,437, Young, London and Singapore 31st April, General.

- RUSSELL & Co. May 6. GLAMORGANSHIRE, British steamer, 1,843, D. Davis, Saigon 2nd May, Rice and Paddy.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

May 6, BISAGNO, Italian steamer, 1,487, Pizzarello, Genoa and Singapore 29h April, General.—CARLOWITZ & Co. May 6, INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 874,

Husenwinkel, Whampon 6th May, General -WIELER & Co.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 6TH MAY.

Bothwell Castle, British str., for Nagasaki, -Baltee, French str., for Haiphong, C. H. Kian, British str., for Swatow. Ulysses, British str., for Amoy. Angers, British str., for Saigon. Albany, British str., for Suigon. Killarney, British str., for Bangkok.

DEPARTURES.

May 6, FALEENBURG, German str., for Saigon. May 6, PARTRIDGE, British str., for Hollow. May 6. NINGCHOW, British str., for Kinking. May 6, WHAMPOA, British str., for Wuhn. May 6, GILSLAND, British str., for Saigon. May 6, TANNADICE, British steamer, for Port

May 6, CAMBODIA, British atr., for Shanghai. May 6, Soochow, British str., for Hollow. May 6, CHEANG HOCK KIAN, British str., for

May 6, Amoy, British str., for Shanghai. May 6. TARAPACA, British bark, for Sandakan May 6, ULYSSES, British str., for Shanghai. May 6, NINGPO, British str., for Whampos.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Esmeralda, str., from Manila,-Mr. and Mrs. Raddin, and 13 Chinese. Per Port Augusta, str., from Ssigon. -20 Chi

Per Camelot, str., from Singapore. - 60 Chi-

Per Bisagno', str., from Genes, &c.-2 Europeans and 131 Chipese. Per Ningpo, str., from Shanghai. - Mrs. Chor. 24: der and 2 children, Mr. Moore, and 11 Chinese.

Per Taisang, str., from Calcutta, &c.-Mrs. and Miss Gaspar, Mr. and Mrs. McFaren, and Mr. Duffls, and 350 Chinese. Por Dafila, str., from Haiphong.—21 Chinese.

Per Sarpedon, str., from Shanghai.—For ondon.—Mr. Thomas and Master Thomas, and Mr. Arthur Taylor, and 19 Chinese for Hong-Per Greyhound, str., from Pakhol, &c.-29

Per Alvah, str., from London, &c.-120 Chinese. Per Glamorganshire, str., from Saigon,-Mr. W. Cooper. Per Alwine, str., from Haiphong, &c .- Mr. R.

Jamisier, and 14 Chinese.

Per Ajaz, str., for Liondon, &c.-Dr. Robert- will shortly be on View, prices ranging from \$2 son, R.N. Per Tannadice, str., for Sydney.-Mrs. Yue TO DEPART.

Per. Thibet, str., from Hongkong.-For Nagasaki.-Mrs. Wright and 2 children. For Kobe. -Mr. and Mrs. Fearon, Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, and Mr. Caldwell. For Yokohama.-Mrs. Lobb, and the 4 Misses Lobb and 3 children, Major will be held at the Company's Office in Pedder Jopp, Lieuts Lloyd, Smith, and W. E. Peel, From London,-For Yokohama,-Rev. Cholomondley, Messrs. C. Thornbill, Walford, Keir, and Morris. From Bombay.-Mr. Asavoca. From Singapore.-Hon. J. P. and Mrs. Joaquin and servant, and Mr. C. Fox. For Kobe and Yokohama.—From Singapore.—Mr. E. Symes, and one Japanese:

REPORTS.

The British steamer Ningpo, from Shanghai 2nd inst., reports experienced light N.E. winds and fine weather throughout the passage.

The German steamer Tetartos, from Nagasaki 30th ult. reports from 2nd instant to 4th had strong breeze from N.E., after that moderate and fine weather.

The British steamer Taisang, from Calcutta. Penang, and Singapore 30th ult, reports from Singapore to port fine weather throughout, with light sirs from N.E.

The British steamer Esmeralda, from Manila 3rd inst., reports had light to fresh N.E. breeze. fine with considerable sea; nearing Hongkong light N.W. breeze and hazy.

The British steamer Dafile, from Haiphong HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK 3rd inst., reports had fine weather across the Gulf. Anchored in Hoikow at 7 p.m. on the 4th. Left at 3.30 am. on the 5th. Had light SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are E.N.E. winds and fine weather to port. In Srespectfully informed that, if upon their

The British steamer Galley of Lorne, from Kobe 29th ult., reports wind S.E. freshening into a gale with high sea, veering to N.W. and blowing a gale for 36 hours, moderating down to variable winds up to lat. 27 N. and long. 123 E.; fresh N.E. winds with hezy weather up to Breaker Point; thence to port light variable winds and fine weather.

INTIMATIONS.

DAID.UP POLICIES.—Premiums may be limited to 10, 15 or 20 years from the com mencement, and after the Policy has been in force for three years, each year's payment of premium secures a proportionate part of the sum assured as a Paid-up Policy in the event of the Life Assured wishing to cease payments. This Rule applies also to Endowment Assurances. PROPOSAL Forms on application to the

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New Piano and Harmonium or Angerican Organ Duets. New part Songs for Male Voices.

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Lobr, Molloy, Isidore de Lara, Stephen Adams, &c. New Valsas and Polkas by Wuldtoufel, - * Bucalossi, Coote, &c. New Comic Songs by Macdermott, Herbert Campbell, Arthur Lloyd, James Fawa, &c.

MUSICSENT ON APPROVAL ON APPLICATION. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong 19th April, 1887.

BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED Weale's Series, Iron Bridges, &c. Section's Manual of Engineering. Donaldson's Marine Machinery. Ainsley's Manual of Engineering. Holmes on the Steam Engine. Questions on the Marine Engine, by Doualdson

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The Ship Owners' Telegraph Code, by Scott Morning Hours in India, or Fractical Hints on Household Management in Eastern Countries. Concertines, Concert Flutes and Piccoles. New Alarm Clocks, Photo Albums, Pocket Knives and various kinds of Funcy Goods.

New Songs, They all Love Jack and When the Boat Comes Home. W. BREWER, Queen's Road. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

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Electricity in the Service of Man. Very's "Navies of the World." A Short History of India, by J. Talboy Wheeler. Kirke's Handbook of Physiology. Electricity; its Theory. Sources and Applica-

tion, by Sprague. Practical Electricity, by W. E. Ayrton.
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Also, Just Issued MEN OF THE TIME-12TH EDITION. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG.

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Beg respectfully to inform the Residents Hongkong and the Outports, that they have decided to make their present Establishment permanent Branch of the Yokohama-Firm, and vill shortly exhibit

A MAGNIFICENT NEW STOCK of the highest class of Ancient and Modern Japanese Fine Curies and Works of Art. Orders for all Japanese Manufactures will be promptly executed on the shortest notice and at the lowest wholesale prices. OUR GRAND DISPLAY OF JUBILEE LANTERNS

per Hundred. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887. THE HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY,

LIMITED. NYOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING in price.

at which the Special Resolutions passed To-

day will be submitted for confirmation.

ISAAC HUGHES. Secretary: Hongkong, 30th April, 1887. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA-SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given to the SHARE-HOLDERS of the above Company that in pursuance of 'Art. 11 of the Companies'

Articles of Association a Final call of \$5 per Share will be made on the 3rd day of June, 1887, payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai BANKING CORPORATION. And further that interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per Annum will be charged on all calls which shall remain unpaid after the 3rd day of

June. 1847. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th May to the 3rd June, 1887, both days inclusive. A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary.

Hongkong, 18th April, 18:7

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hoihow strs. Greyhound, Alwine, Anton, and arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should he at hand, orders for repairs if sent to the HEAD OFFICE. No. 14. Praya provide VISITORS with the Best Accommodation. Central, will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885.

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Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

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APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANCES, of such Claims purchased on advantageous terms. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

E. W. RUTTER,

Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hengkong, 12th March, 1887. TTONGKONG& HANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS: 7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-Chairman-M. GROTE, Esc. Deputy Chairman-C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esc. H. H.M. Huntington, Eeq. Hon. A. P. McEwen. Dalrymple, Esq. A. McIver, Esq. flon. F. D. Sassoon. W. H. F. Darby, Esq. M. Hoppins, Esq.

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every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan,

JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager. Hannekong, 26th February, 1887. NOTICE.

PULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Society during the Absence of the Undersigned, Honzkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at

one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having ransfor the same to the Hongkong and Shang-hai Eanking Corporation on fixed deposit for DA ABDULHOOSIEN SHEK CUMROO-DA ABDULHOOSIEN SHEK CUMROO-\$100 or more at their credit may at their option 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per IN is authorised to Conduct and Sign my annum will be allowed to Depositors on their Firm in Hongkong and Canton.

daily balances. with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Hongkong on the 1st January, 1887. Bank if marked On Honggong Savings Bank HUSINESS is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.

INTIMATIONS.

& FONG. PHOTOGRAPHER Has just added to his COLLECTION of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable in his Studio or at Messrs. RELLY & WALSH'S. IVORY MINIATURES of Superior Quality and of Excellent and High Finish. PERMANENT ENTARGEMENTS of PHOTOS and VIEWS and reproductions of the same on Paper, Canvas, or

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STUDIO, 1, DUDDELL STREET. 1649 CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

A FIRST INTERIM BONUS of TWENTY DURING my Absence from the Colony, my PER CENT. upon CONTRIBUTIONS DURING my Absence from the Colony, my Business will be conducted by my for the year 1886 has This Day been declared. Brother MR. JAMES SPENCE LEGGE, who WARRANTS may be had on application at the is authorised to Sign my name per procuration. above Office on and after the 5th Prexime. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong 20th April, 1887. NOW READY. FINE KUNG HO CHIH YU WALTZ

General Agents,

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

THE FEIHOO WALTZES, R. C. PASSMORE. published by SYDENHAM MOUTRIE, THE PIANOFORTE AND MUSIC WAREHOUSE.

Shanghai.

12th January, 1887. BANGKOK. . UNIVERSAL HOTEL.

ITTHE Undersigned having taken over the

Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

ULRICH & SCHUMACHER. TOORTLAND CEMENT J. B. WHITE & BROS. Sole Agents for Hina,

HOLLIDAY WISE & Co.

above Establishment are prepared to

AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION: THE Undersigned has received instruction to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY.

the 7th May, 1887, at 2 P.M., at his Sales Room's Queon's Road, AN ASSORTMENT OF JAPANESE WAR'E. Comprising:-

SATSUMA, KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, and TOR VASES, JARS, PLATES, BOWLS, CENSE BURNERS, TEA and COFFEE SETS, EGG SHELL WARE, ENAMELLE WARE, GOLD AND SILVER INLAT BRONZES, KAKIMONOS, EMBROI DERIES, and EMB & OIDERED SCREENS, and IVORY CARVINGS.

TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Hongkong, 5th May, 1887.

PUBLIC AMCTION VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES.

TETHE Undersigned has received instructions

THIS DAY, the 7th May, 1887, at 3 P.M., at the VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

to Sell by Public Auction,

PROPERTIES. Situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong. being the TENEMENTS Nos. 221. 225, 221A and 221B; Queen's Road East, being registered in the Land Office as IN-LAND LOT No. 766. The above Properties will be sold in FIVE LOTS, such House form-

ing a Lot. The above Properties are held from the Crown for the remaining Portion of 999 years. and will be sold subject to the existing Lettings and Tenaucies thereof, and to the annual payment of the due proportions Crown Rent payable in respect of the Premises Seventy per cent. of the Parchase money can remain on Mortgage at the rate of Seven per cent. per Annun. For Plan and further Particulars of the

Property and Conditions of Sale, apply to G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 26th April, 1887.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and FINE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of the L. late Mr. GEORG THEODOR SIEMS-SEN in our Firm Ceased on the 24th November, 1886, and that of Mr. PAUL GERHARD IN HE Steamship HUBBE on the 31st December, 188%. Mr. JACOB RUFF has been authorized to Sign our Firm per procuration from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong & China, 14th February, 1887. (401) UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

TATE. DOUGLAS JONES has LVE appointed ACTING SECRETARY of the By Order of the Board. N. J. EDE,

Hongkong, 26th April, 1387 NOTICE.

ABDULCADER ESMAILJEE.

TATESSES:HENRYPRINCETENNAN WILLIAM HOMFRAY FULLER DARBY, and BENDYSHE LAYTON were admitted PARTNERS in our Firm in China and

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 1st April, 1887. FIG. INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr.

· CARL STLEDEL in our FIRM Coased on 30th Ulti MR. RODERICK MACKENZIE GRAY has This Day been admitted a PARTNER in REISS & Co.

Hongkong 3 1st May, 1887.

THE HAVE THIS DAY REMOVED our Offices to the 2ND FLOOR of No. 5, Queen's Road Central. BIRD & PALMER, Architects. Hongkong, 27th April, 1887.

NOTICE. DURING the Absence of Mr. R. D. TATA,
Mr. DADABHOY MUNCHERJEE is authorised to Sign the name of our FIRM in Hongkong.

TATA & Co. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887. NOTICE. R. JAFFERBHOY KHETSEY being IVI about to leave for Bombay, ALLARKHIA JOHN MAHOMED is duly

greatest degree of permanency and are moderate anthorized to SIGN our Firm and conduct the Business in Hongkong from this date. JAIRAZBHOY PEERBHOY & Co. Hougkong, 2nd May, 1887 NOTICE.

> THAVE THIS DAY Established myself as a -SHARE and GENERAL BROKER, THOS. I. ROSE. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887. NOTICE.

WILLIAM LEGGE Hongkong, 16th April, 1887.

TIMBER THE Undersigned, Agents for Messra. E.E. ABRAHAMSON &Co., Sandakan, British North Borneo, are now prepared to submit for inspection Samples of hard and soft

TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and General purposes. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. . Hongkong, 2nd November, 1886. SUNG &

T E E C o .. COAL MERCHANTS. have always on hand LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP TION OF COAL. Address: - Care of Messrs. Kwong Sung & Co., No. 68, PRAYA. T-OON-G---SHING & Dealers in CHINESE CURIOS, PICTURES,

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES, GELLATLY'S" LINE OF STEAMERS NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S. S. "AFGHAN." FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, LON-DON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in ormed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown

Company at Kowleon, whence and/or from the

wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 10th instant will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day. All Claims against the steamer must be pro-[923] sented to the undersigned on or before the 10th instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887. STEAMSHIP "SAGHALIEN."

> MARITIMES. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London. U and Havre, Ex S. S. "YOROUBA." from Antwerp Ex 8; 8, "KUICKUR," and from Bordeaux Ex S. S. "EYRAND DES VER-GUES," in connection with the above Steamer. are horsby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless antimation is received from the Consignees before 10 A.M., TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Under igned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATUR-DAY, the 7th May, at 7 OON, will be subject

to rent and landing charges at One Cent per

package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 9th May, (TUESDAY), or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 30th April, 1837. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

Captain Pfaff, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take im-- mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

notice to the contrary be given before TO-MORROW, the 1st May, at Noon. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Plea and Godown Co. and stored at Consignees' risk

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 7th May, at 11 A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents Hougkong, 30th April, 1887. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "MONMOUTHSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-DON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed for an invention for the Manufacture from that all Goods, with the exception of Fresh Green Ginger of Dried Ground Ginger, 1664 Opium, are being landed at their risk, into the Crushed Ginger, Ginger Paste, Flour, of Ginger, Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Essential Oil of Ginger, and Essence of Ginger, FROM GENOA, NAPLES, MESSINA Company at Kowloon, whence and/or from the And it is hereby further notified that His PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN, BOMBAY, wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless the Provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance has appointed FRIDAY, the 13th day of May, 1887,

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining the said application. after the 9th instant, will be subject to rent at the rate of One cent per package per day. All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 9th instant, or they will not be recognized.

notice to the contrary be given before NOON,

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887.-TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ULYESES." FROM LIVERPOOL. SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 10th inst., for shipment per steamer "STENTOR." EUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 5th May, 1887.

will be subject to Rent.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "ULYSSES. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 5th inst.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th May, 1887. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

Goods undelivered after the 12th inst.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. ✓ `ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. .Ex "LABOURDONNAIS" and "MELEOURNE." QS in (diamond) 1/3=3 cases Chisels, Augers, &c., from London, consigned to Order.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, 15th April 1887. NOTICE. TCE CREAM, ICE CREAM, ICE CREAM, 40 SERVED DAILY AFTER 12 NOON IN

> ROTISSERIE AND BAR OF BONGKONG HOTEL: Hongkong, 22nd April, 1887. EATING'S INSECT POWDER.

> BUGS, FLEAS, MOTHS, BEETLES, and all

INSECT POWDER, which is quite harmless to hire.

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Domestic Animals. In exterminating Beetles the success of this Powder is extraordinary, and no one need be troubled by those pests. It is perfectly clean in application. Ask for, and take no other than "KEATING'S POWDER," as imitations are nozious, and fail in giving satis-[818 faction. Sold by all Chemists in Bottles. [885]

INTIMATIONS.

ROYAL, THEATRE CITY HALL, HONGKONG, ENGLISH

BOUFFE COMPANY. After most successful Seasons in Shanghai an Yokohama, will Open a Season of 3 Nights in the above Theatre, Commoneing

THURSDAY EVENING.

the J2th May, 1887,

With GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S most Popular a Original Fairy Opera entitled "IOLANTHE."

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SATURDAY. the 14th May: 1887. PROBABLY THE "LITTLE DUKE.

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Hongkoug, 4th May, 1887. NOTICE. SPECIAL SESSION of HER MAJES-

TY'S JUS LICES of the PEACE will be beld at the Justices' Room at the Magistracy. 9341 at ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN STHE FORENCON, OR MONDAY, the Ninth day of May, A.D. 1887, INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION for the purpose of considering an application rom one SAMUEL LIBERMAN to have the Licence of the "Rose, Shambook, AND THISTLE" HOTEL granted to him and one CHARLES BERCOVITZ jointly, instead of to himself solely as at present.

H. E. WODEHOUSE. Police Magistrate. For the Police Magistrates. Magistracy, Hongkong, 30th April, 1887.

NOTICE. TOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Japan Brewert Company, Limited will be hald at No. 7, Water Street, Yokohams, on MONDAY, the 9th day of May, 1887, at 4 O'ULOCK P.M., for the purpose of receiving and adopting the Directors' Report and Accounts. electing Directors and Auditors, and transacting on TUESDAY, the 10th inst., at ONE R.M.

the Ordinary Business of the Company. AND NOTICE is further given that ap EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of the aforesaid Company will be held at the aforesaid place at HALF-PAST FOUR O'OLOCK P.M., on the said 9th day of May, 1887, or on No Claims will be admitted after the Goods the close of the Ordinary General Meeting to be held on that day, whichever shall last happen. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th May, will be subject for the purpose of considering and, if deemed expedient passing such resolutions as may be All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to necessary to authorize the Directors to substitute seven for five as the limit of number of Directors under rule 77 of the Articles

By Order of the Board,

W. H. TALBOT, Secretary, pro. tem. NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN-GRANT SMITH, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Merchant and Commission Agent, intends to apply to His Excellency THE ACTING GOVERNOR under the Provisions. of Ordinance No. 14 of 1862 for Letters Patent

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is the Official Assignee, and HENRY J. HOLMES is the Solicitor in the Bankruptcy. A Public Sitting will hereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupts to pass their flual examination and to make application for their discharge, of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette. At the First Meeting of Creditors the Acting Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors, are hereby directed to choose at such Meeting an Assignee or Assignces of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees.

Solicitor in the Matter. CHUN MOON, DECEASED. TOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION have been granted by the Supreme Court the 7th May, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. to No. FAN, and all Persons having CLAIMS precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially against the Estate of the said CHUN MOON. Deceased, are requested to send in particulars of

1917 their Claims to me, the undersigned, Solicitor

for the Administrator, or to the said No FAN on

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HENRY J. HOLMES,

Dated the 6th day of May, 1887.

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FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND

instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, 6th May, 1887. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITAL'IANA

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PENANG. AND SINGAPORE. HE Steamship "BISAGNO." No Claims-will be admitted after-the-Goods Meeting of the Executive Council to consider having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are bereby informed that their Goods, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF OPIUM AND VALUABLES, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Messrs. MEYER & Co.,

Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained: Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be RONALD GREIG, of Canton, having been sent in to the undersigned before the 13th May. LOST, Norton is hereby given, that if it is not at 5 P.M., or they will not be recognized. --No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any

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PLAN OF TOWN AND ENVIRONS OF SINGAPORE

PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG.

The Contents of the Appendix are too numerous to recapitulate in an Advertisement, but

TRRATTES WITH CHINA-Great Britain, Nanking, 1842. Tientsin, 1858 Chefoo, with Additional Article and all others not abrogated. France, Tientsin, 1858 Convention, 1860 Treaty of Commerce, 1886. United States, Tientsin, 1858 Additional, 1869 Peking, 1880 German, Tientsin, 1861

Russia, Japan, Spain, Brazil, and Peru. TREATIES WITH JAPAN-Netherlands Great Britain United States TREATIES WITH COREA TREATIES WITH SIAM TREATIES WITH ANNAM

Peking, 1880

CUSTOMS TARIFFS Siamese Chinese Japanese > Orders in Council for Government of H.B.M. and should the experiment prove successful

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Subjects in China and Japan, 1865, 1877,

Rules of Court of Consuls at Shanghai Chinese Passenger Act TRADE REGULATIONS Customs Seizure, China Customs and Harbour Regulations for the different ports of Chins, Philippines, Siam, &c. us, is found along the northern coast of the to-day.

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temple at Baku. On his last visit Colonel STEWART saw the sacred flame exit out with his cap, saying it was too good to he wasted in keeping up eternal fires. Since The best Remedy For-Acidity of the Stomac then it has only been lighted for the amuse. ment of strangers. The quantity of oil thrown up by one of the wells at Baku For Heartburn and Headache For Gout and Indigestion. amounts to two million gallons a day. Co-DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA. The best Mild Aperiont for Delicate Constitu. lone! STEWART tells us that an acquaintance tions, Ladies, Children, and Infants, and for regular neo in Warm Climates, DINNEFORD & Co., Chemists, containing 2,250,000 gallons before his well London, and of Druggists and Storekoepers throughnt the World.
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1,084,512,140 American gallons, and the

440,000,000 gallons. The richest of the

Russian oil fields is that of which Baku is the

shipping port. In a recent number of Mur-

ray's Magazine there appeared a paper on

petroleum in the East by the well known

and adventurous traveller, Colonel C. E.

China, and in some of the islands of the

sight, he says, was magnificent. At one spot

with the motion of the waves; and at an-

other spot about forty. He was also present

The mans of fire must have been at least

fountain of fire, and raged furiously, licking

bas been for centuries in the Hindoo in two, and some iron-work bent.

is also utilized in the States,

Hongkong, 30th April, 1887.

side of the paper only.

Bors, of a son, stillborn.

view, but for all practical purposes the supply may be taken as inexhaustible. SINCE writing on the question of the construction of railways in China we have the way they have become popular in the Straits seen the statement in the Shen-pao the 1st inst. to the effect that it has actually—been -decided to make a rail- by men. This feeling will always stand in way from Tientsin to the capital. This the way of 'ricksha travelling gaining a footholdannouncement will be read with very deeply scated sentiment than the whim of the present in their imaginations a slight idea of the state great interest by all foreigners who are con- moment. In Singapore, however, be it noted, of filth in which at present the lowest class of Chinese nected with the Central Kingdom whether the same aversion provailed on the introduction exist. I have not spoken of the state of the drains Considerable a tention is being attracted by trade or by official position. Poking Company employe, about six years ago, made use in the better quarters of the town, for that is patent to the eyes and notes of the public and attracted by trade or by official position. Poking Company employe, about six years ago, made use in India at the present time to the petroleum conhected with the outer world by a railway of a vehicle of the kind, he was laughed at on all flushing them frequently in the hot weather, matters deposits in Persia and along the shores of will no longer be shunned by the average sides. None of those who ridiculed him ever would be worse still. the Persian Gulf and Red Sea. A large globe-trotter; on the contrary, it will un- rickshas would traverse the streets of Singapore. amount of enterprise and expital-will no doubtedly receive numerous visitors. Its There is hardly any prospect of such an ovent it did a world of good, doubt shortly be brought to bear on the attractions as a city are not great, perhaps, working of these deposits, as the demand but it must, as the metropolis of so vast Arrivals and Departures of Mails and Parcel for mineral oil is practically inexhaustible, and ancient an empire as China, necessarily authority of an official letter from Tungchov.

teresting inquiry from a scientific point of

being extended for industrial purposes, other two millions will probably pay part vernment. Persons disobeying will be dealt spare the Council the reading of them, but if cockleft is almost universal in dwellings of the middle After the crude oil is distilled it is divided or nearly the whole of the cost of the line to into three categories: the lightest oil is Peking if as economically made as th known as benzine, the next as gasoline, the Kaiping-Lutai-section. However that may third as kerosine, and the residuum that re- be, it seems pretty certain that the infor mains makes capital fuel for steamers and mation of the Shen-pao is correct, and that locomotives. Two hundred steamers in within a short period of time the screech of Russia are now burning this residuum re- the iron horse will be heard outside the for the petty boat interest. gularly, and it is employed on three long walls of Peking. The Chinese Government lines of railway, on one of which it more evidently do not intend to allow any consithan bolds its own against the contiguous derations of fing-shui to obstruct the work, steamers have arrived with large quantities of some time in 1882, and afterwards presented his giving the number of inhabitants and the cubic coal fields. One ton of residuum, we read or to listen to any clamour raised by the in an Indian contemporary, is equal to 11 Pei-ho boutmen, who may believe that tone of the best anthracite coal, only oc- will adversely affect their interests. cupies 35 cubic feet instead of 44, and can first, possibly, the boatmen may find their Bombay has been imported in good quantity, after this warning to neglect any longer the proan alley, spanned by a narrow gangway. It seems of life and the absence of sickness, £166,929,
be carried in tanks. No stokers are retrade decreased, but the railway will provide and Drills hold their own as well as sheetings secution of these much needed works. In subalmost impossible to conceive how so many inhabitants. The figures add up to £247,099, whereas the quired, for the fires are self-supplying, and so much new employment that the advant-

Russian frigate Dimitri Doneloi yesterday, and a salute was fired from that vessel when he left. day, and exchanged salutes with the Audacious amount produced by Russia at upwards of and the shore battery.

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Co. informs us that the extra steamer Zambesi, from Bombay, left Singapore at 10 a.m. on the 4th nstant for this port.

We are informed by the Agent that the Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 12th April, has STEWART. Petroleum, Colonel STEWART tells strived at Yokohams, and will sail for this port

Black Sea, and through the Caucasus range A Java paper says .- Business in Deli has every prospect of thriving in consequence of the of mountains to the Caspian Sea; in Persia heavy fall in freight rates, owing to competition and the Turkoman country; in Afghanistan between the North German Lloyd and the and Northern India, Burmah and Southern O. S. S. Co.

may expect to see their boats of the second rank cription the wells at Baku must equal out on the China side, and shewing the way to any of the American ones. The whole their rivals, country is full of petroleum. It rises! The Messageries Maritimes steamer Anadur.

up from his steam launch by throwing a about the 13th instant. By kind permission of Captain Anderson, Divine Service will be held to morrow morning, at there were sixty brilliant jets, apparently eleven o'clock, on board the British ship Am-

Chaplain. The Bethel flag will be hoisted. in Baku in 1881 when a flowing well of Shaughai Waterworks Company, Limited, has been transferred to Shanghai. This is in accord-

150 feet across; it looked like an enormous held, she was caught by the tide, and drifted R gulations and Articles of War and called his at once we must remember that our negligence d wn on the Moyune. The Daily News says attention to the fact that be had no power to in sanitary matters has not yet produced all that her port quarter came in contact with the punish them as he had done. The captain, in the its effects. We have not felt the results yet. stern of the latter steamer, but the damage exercise of his authority, has forwarded all the These results do not show themselves at once, nine days. Besides the oil the natural gas sustained by each vessel was not serious. The facts to the Commander-in-Chief of the station, but things will go on from bad to worse, Deccan had her port quarter boat smashed to and it is generally anticipated that the incident and what is easy to cure now will be diffi-

The Daily News says that the Haguretown, sailing vessel that has been docked at Shanghai. terest to tea-shippers:tinguished by a Russian engineer, who beat When she has been thoroughly repaired, she will be a fine vessel again. She still flies the American flag, and is registered in the name of Mr. Artemus Webster.

The British gunboat Mutine, under orders for the China station, has been fitted with a new ermament, and the old muzzle-loading guns, six in number, have been replaced by ten 5-inch breech-loading guns mounted on the Vavasseur central pivot carriages. She has, in addition, of his there constructed a tank capable of been supplied with two 4-barrel, two 2-barrel, and two 5-barrel Nordenfelt guns.

The Indian Daily News says :- Lord Brassey proposes to make a careful examination of the various British settlements in Borneo, with a view of promoting a scheme for their federation, gas, and an enormous quantity of oil poured together with the territories of the Sultan of Brunei, under the Governor of the Straits Settlements as High Commissioner. From Borneo days, showing that the well was flowing at the Sunbeam will proceed to the Australian co-

"According to late_advices from Hankow, reruptedly for nine days, the oil, after the tank ceived by the Daily News, news had been received there from the country quoting prices of leaf twenty per cont. lower than last year in Ningchow, and ten per cent, lower in Kokew; Wye San, Yung-low-toong, and Nip-ka-see, and this reduction was leading to very large parchases on the part of the teamen, with the, probable consequence of an excessive crop. Lead is reported to be going inland in large quantities.

The policy of the Government with respect to overcrowding in the city was unfolded at the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday in connection with the introduction of the Public Committee at a meeting held on the 22nd April Health Bill. It is proposed to make it compul- were laid on the table, and votes of \$9,600 for sery to allow in every house 300 cubic feet of accomplish as much if the oil fields of the culated, will turn 20,000 persons out of houses at Stonecutters' Island, recommended by the in the centre of the town. To provide accommodation for these there are to be further reistan and Burmah, were properly and clamations at Causeway Bay and the land is to systematically exploited. This of course be offered for building purposes. To render

section of the public.

The Straits Times says :- Jinrickshas have already found their way to Deli. They have been running in the streets of Medan. It remains to be seen whether these vehicles will succeed any better in that town than they did a few years back at Labnan Deli, when a fruitless. attempt was made to recommend them to public favour. It is indeed passing strange, considering of Settlements, that they do not take in Deli at all. It seems that Hollanders have an unconquerable aversion to ride in a carriage drawn in Deli, as it seems to be grounded on a more this explanation, for those who read this account to imagined that in a few years more, thousand of __ The typhoon was a great sanitary visitor in the

The Shen-pao of the 1st May says, on the Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by the Chambers of Commerce, of Hongkong, Shanghai, Amoy and Newobwang.

Hongkong Chair, Jinricksha, and Boat Hire.

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went off pretty freely there has not been during by no one after reading Mr. Chadwick's report, 58.—Fig. 21, Sheet IV, shows No. 22, Station Street At the last week sufficient eagerness to account for and the Government would be guilty of gross | The number of inhabitants is given in the drawing the rather unusual supply. Cotton Yarn from neglect in one of its primary duties, were it and the cubic space per head, exclusive of the cook. and other classes of heavy good Shirtings and mitting his report Mr. Chadwick says the sani- could be stowed away in so small a space. Indeed, the residuum is pumped up either from the ages derived in this respect will more than ad much to the duties, and so for there has not for energetic remedial measures. The death rate namely picking cakum.

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Shorts or from tank boats along a shipment is a most sorded on the f declined. The business so far has almost been years of age. Hongkong in 1881-men 42, vessels having arrived to date.

Regarding the turretironclad Orion, which has now arrived in Singapore, the United Service Gazette states :- This vessel has very unexpectedly left Alexandria, and the guardship of this city is to be replaced for the time by the Carysfort, and afterwards by the Gannet. Everyone in the amount of cubic space per head is small enough, but port was surpised by the sudden orders, but the reason, or why or wherefore, has not leaked out. The officers gave a farewell dance to the clite of the military and civilians, and in return the officers of the ship were invited to a dinner on shore. Great regret was expressed on both sides at the ship leaving, and especially in the sudden manner she did. A correspendent wrote from Alexandria on the 10th March: Our experiences on board this ship | with the social customs and institutions of the Chinese. The Singapore Free Press savs :- As soon as continue to be marked by unpleasantness, and Now, with respect to building in his first letter and untrapped, a most abominable nuisance ensued. This house was intended as an hotel for Europeans. between some of the officers there is at times he save :considerable friction. A striking instance of this has just occurred. A few evenings since, lings is defective—the Building Ordinance requires and a great many sections relate to drains. The the commander, while proceeding on his night complete revision. The amended law must be enforrounds, heard some of the officers indulging in ced with more rigour and intelligence than at present, through the Caspian Sea in continuous with the French mail of the 8th April, was to what he regarded as rather hoisterous mirth in particularly as to alleye, lanes, and open spaces. lines of bubbles. One night he lit the water leave Singapore at 6 p.m. yesterday for Saigen the wardroom. The commander rebuked the whole of the dwellings within the town require re- will find he attaches great importance to them. and this port, and may be expected here on or santry for permitting this noise while the night draining, and unless this is done but little health imrounds were proceeding, and his remarks were provement will be made. overheard by some of the officers for whose benefit it was more particularly intended. Disliking the manner and spirit in which the words were uttered, the doctor and paymaster floating on the sea and dancing up and down Chaplain. The Rethel floating words were uttered, the doctor and paymaster made a representation on the subject to the A tologram has been received in Shanghai prise, they met with but little encouragement night soil removal, public latrines, and an from London stating that the directorate of the in that quarter, as the captain decided that the his duty. Then came the commander's turn. ends his letter with these very important rebut it was not the height of the fisme so much as its volume which was aws inspiring.

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The mass of fire much the agree of the Captain, being logged against them waiting for the noncessity to be demonstrated by the immediate bounds of the captain, being logged against them. Associated Wharves, and though a third line ed. They presented to the Captain the Queen's In speaking of the necessity of taking measures

The following table, which has been furni- was once a renowned sanitarium. Allow me duoted down by a pine of rough earthenware, coated Export of Tea from Hankow and Shanghai to England. Season 1880-87.

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HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

A meeting of the Hongkong Legislative Council was held yesterday afternoon. There His Excellency the Acting Governor, Major-General Cameron. Hon. J. RUSSELL, Acting Chief Justice.

Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary. Hon, E.J. ACKROYD, Acting Attorney-General Ion. A. Lister, Colonial Treasurer. Hon. J. M. PRICE. Surveyor-General. Hon. H. G. THOMSETT, Harbour Master. Hon. WONG SHING. Hou. J. BELL-IRVING. Hon. C. P. CHATER.

Mr. A. SETH, Clerk of Councils.

The minutes of the last meeting were read nd confirmed.

. The report of the proceedings of the Finance extension of the Cattle Depôt at Kennedy Town the Chinese are so healthy a race that it would Committee, were approved.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH BILL The Acting Attorney-General-Pursunant, sir, to the notice which I gave at the last this district accessible and induce people to go meeting of this Council, I beg to move the first there a transmay is to be laid. His Excellency reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance for by Chinese doctors, who, with very few exceptions - 148.—As to the acrangement of the buildings on the those at Baku. But in any case there can General Cameron is pressing on the project of amending the laws relating to public health in (those trained in England), do not distinguish these be no doubt they are rich enough to pay for the Praya Extension, on which the construction the colony of Hongkong." As this Bill will no diseases from others similar in their general characof the tramway is apparently to some extent doubt entail a great outlay on the owner of property and perhaps on Government itself, as it interferes to some extent with private rights of Dr. Dudgeon, of Peking, in his paper on the habits of A tendency amongst broomssons to extend the property and must affect in some way or other the Chinese, records three severe spidemics of cholera benefits of their institutions beyond the limits overy member of this community, I think it right in China between 1820 and 1863, so this form of fifth of the craft has become noticeable during the I should fully state the reasons for bringing it coming so abundant and confidence is felt in last few years. At Shanzhai the Vasous establin and the necessity which exists for sound and lished a school for the benefit of the community stringent enastments. In view of the imat large, and we note that a similar step has portance of the matter and the fact that violation of the laws of health is not punished, in been taken in Batavia, where under the auspices it is not intended to go on at once of the "Star in the East" Lodge, an industrial with the Bill, but to give every one inschool has been started to meet a long felt terested a full and ample opportunity of studywant. In Hongkong the idea has been mooted ing it and investigating the details of it, and ofof extending to non-Masons the benefits of the fering their objections to it, if any, I trust I places in the neighb, arboad. The settlement is but reading room in the new Masonic Club and muy be allowed to depart on this occasion from 40 years old, and the subsoil beneath the city may the library which the Hon. C. P. Chater is the rule which ordinarily obtains at this Council, not yet be sufficiently saturated with filth to make it presenting. Opinions are somewhat divided as and to state the objects and reasons to-day in-

some time, but the speculation as to when this to the expediency of the step, but from an out- stead of waiting till the second reading. I feel remedy the existing evil, and, secondly, that fruit, in the form of misery and disease. judging from past experience in other Colonies, the remedies proposed, if carried out, will cure the evil and secure us from the intro- honoured abuses; on the contrary, to my mind they given that if these laws are passed and the works duction and ravages of cholers and other douts. prove that reform is argently required. gious diseases. It should now be well known sonitary works. That will be the key note of state of Hongkong is no new one. I came this April, 1875. I will read only one extract from it.

This is a simple statement of feets as I have found

lower quarters of the town, an though it caused. for the divelopment of cholera or fevers of a typhoic character; if the seeds are once sown, they will hav situated at the base of high hills, with every similar

In their circular dated Nowchwang, 23rd neer of repute. Mr. Chadwick was appointvery favourable, rates were obtained and parcels | the execution of sanitary works can be doubted | houses, he says :-

other letter he says :-I am of opinion that the existing state of sanitation of Hongkong is most seriously defective. The houses inhabited by the poorer Chinese are inconvenient. ill construted and overcrowded. The this is a minor evil compared to the want of space and facilities for elecutiness. I have also ascertained that these house drains are as a rule badly constructed and therefore dangerous

to health. I am of opinion that the laws which affect house construction and sanition are inadequate and require thorough revision, and that a complete and stringent system of sanitary inspection is necessary to intro-

particularly as to alleye, lanes, and open spaces.

The system of house drainage is radically bad. The what Mr. Chadwick says about drains. You The complete cheap and proper execution of this work can only be effected by the Government nuder

remedial measures he would suggest, such as the improvement of existing sewers, scavenging, and district watchmen to enforce attention, and he

splinters, and the Moyune had her flagstaff broken will eventuate in a court of inquiry into the cult if not impossible later on. Dr. Ayres has mentioned the case of Mauritius, which

his money anywhere clae will invest it there. To chatruoted. give but one instance of the effect on the value no value whatever. Unfortunately in 1866, before the fever broke out. I purchased one of the of Europeans may be found, where waterclosets and nicest houses for \$14,000, and I cannot now got | baths, within the house or in a verandah, are connect-\$4,000 for it. It is altogether unsaleable. And ed to the drains, without ventilation or disconnection to remedy the defects of sanitation in Mauritius of the soil pipe, and without any proper trap. now, would cost much more than the Colony It is not to be wondered after these exposures could afford, whereas, if they had attended to that we have inserted a good deal about drains. it some years ago, they would not have suffered There is another extract about them which so severely from epidemics as they have since would wish to read to you. 1854. Now, with respect to the death rate being high Mr. Chadwick makes the following re-

marks in his report:-117. -Before discussing the defects of the present yatem, and the means of remedying them, I think legizable to examine the available evidence as to the sanitary condition of the Chinese, and to see whether they are on the whole more or less healthy than other peoples, and to define in general the requirements of good sanitation which are new recognised as desirable and necessary, and to discuss the relative merits of some of the chief methods employed for obtaining them. 112.-Many experienced medical men who have practised in China have recorded the opinion that rphoid fever is almost unknown there. It would appear that some have concluded from this, that the filth and steaches with which the Chinese surfounded themselves are not only harmless, but even beneficial: that they have discovered the true art of living, and that they should be allowed to do in Hongkong as they do in the City of Kowloon, and elsewhere, in their own country.

113 .- It will therefore be well to examine the 'evic ence on which these conclusions are based, and to se whether, according to the seanty statistics available space to every adult occupant. This, it is call and \$2,000 for the repair of the Officers' quarters presumptuous for westerns to interfere with their time honoured stinks.

114. -With regard to the absence of certain disc uses, this fact, it must be observed that their evidence is in Hongkong is quite different to that in use on the not quite complete. On the aninhand no vital statie-tics are kent, and by fir the greater majority die without consulting an European physician. Even in Hongkong the greater number of deaths are registered | pliances for cleanliness than they are in Conton. teristics. Other medical men, while admitting the able, for the basement or lower storey is rendered rarity of true typhoid fover, assert that malignant and the production of mularia is the consequence. It

115.-Even assuming the absence of certain forms of disease, and a comparative immunity from epide-China as elsewhere, with a general lowering of vital condition, and not only by intermittent scourges of 116.-It is stated that bitherto Hongkong has

a hot bod for disease and a breeding ground of fith noison. It is somewhat premature to assume that this happy immunity will always continue, for the side point of view there can be no question as to the Government is bound to show, firstly, process of acturation is slowly but surely going on, the boon such a decision would confer on a large | the necessity for stringent measures to and if unahophed cannot fail a bring torth abundant | tify to the evils which call for imma-121 .- I think that the foregoing fasts clearly show that the health of the population is not so good as to muke it presumptuous to attempt to reform time-

> I deem it unnecessary to refer to those parts of that the preservation of life and health in great Mr. Chadwick's report which refer to the demeasure depends on the faithful presecution of ficient supply of water as I hope all our deficiencies in that respect will my remarks to-day. The subject of the Sanitary soon be remedied by the completion of the magnificent Tytam scheme. To illustrate his house drains. Mr. Chadwick writes as follows:-

29 .- The usual type of Chinese house in Hong- be made in England to ameliorate the great kong is essentially different to that in use on the mass of the people. Before that time, the sighbouring mainland. This is due to some extent; benefits derivable from similary science seemno doubt, to European influence and example, but principally to the necessity for economy of space on ed to have been forgotten or ignored unaccount of the high price of land and the great cost til the powerful voice of cholera, typhus, of preparing level sites for building. This shows and other diseases roused the people from that the Chinese are not so averse, as comminive their letharty I trust that we, bring supposed, to change their habits to suit altered forewarned, will be foreurmed and profit

30 .- According to immemorial custom, in one report being 13 to 16 feet, only. The depth back from the prevention is better than ours. Many lives street is large, varying from 30 to 60 feet. Even the have been spared and much misery saved by ouses of the wealthy are formed by uniting several

Si.-If the site be level the houses are often built stating the importance of sanitary measures. back-to-back, no lane or space being left between them. gives a table showing the results in twelve towns If the ground be aloping there will be a lane or gulley in which sanitary measures have been adopted at the back, often not more than & feet wide, some-

with for "opposing the Imperial will." The supposing the Imperial will. The supposing the Imperial will will will be supposed to the supposing the Imperial will will will be supposed to the supposing the Imperial will will will will will be supposed to the suppose that the boatmen of Tungchow, a large part of works and logislation has also occupied the atwhose population subsist on the profits of rice works and logislation has also occupied the atconveyance, will be very much distressed at this tention of my hon, friend the Surveyor-General. not be thwarted by an ill-timed consideration to send out a professional engineer, and he that the lower floor rarely belongs to the inhabitants instructed the Orown Agents to place them of the apper floors. Very frequently each floor is annum. The mortality in the year 1848 was 28.16 per thousand in selves in communication with some entri- leased sparately from the owner, or from his "com- thousand, and in the year 1867, 16.6 per thousand; in selves in communication with some angi- leased sparately from the owner, or from his "comprador," and sublet again to individual lodgers.

April, Messrs. Bush, Brothers suy: Several ed. He came out, I believe, in 1831, and left He then describes a house in Taipingshan street, manufactures, and although at first fair, if not report. The necessity of the ordinance and of space per head, and then he describes some other

T. Cloths. Opium, as we expected, has not add- tary condition of Hongkong is detective and calls some had come out into the street to do their work,

may be called. Shipments of Silk, raw and refuse, To show this, at page 64 he gives a table. I chair coolies lodged, having spected banks to sleep on small town 2.43) persons saved from death, it have been on a comparatively large scale, but will not read the whole of it, but will only give Here the cubic space per head amounts to 400 on the shows us the great responsibility incurred by inflict upon the carriers by water.

In the comparative plane scale, but buyers are greatly disappointed at the poor prisons of the figures. Victoria, Hongkong in the southern markets, some involutional prices of the account sales to the easily the same of the space, nearly 50 a salute was fired from that vessel when he left.

The Russian corvette Najezdańk, Capt. Furin, from Singapore 30th. April, arrived here yester days and ground sales and freights have been made and freights have not characters that allow the dead of the space of the cubic space per head amounts to 20th the space was occupied by seven the cubic space per head amounts to 20th the space was occupied by seven the cubic space per head amounts to 20th seven on a comparatively large scale, but buyers are greatly disappointed at the poor prisons of the figures. Victoria, Hongkong in 1881.—Mean age at death of all who died, men, that the sold buyers are greatly disappointed at the poor prisons of the figures. Victoria, Hongkong in 1881.—Mean age at death of all who died, men, that the sold buyers are greatly disappointed at the poor prisons of the figures. Victoria, Hongkong in 1881.—Mean age at death of all who died, men, that the sold buyers are greatly disappointed at the poor prisons. The lower storey was occupied by seven the same of the figures. Victoria, Hongkong in 1881.—Mean age at death of all who died, men, that the sold burnated that the only grows. The lower storey was occupied by seven the same of the figures. Victoria, Hongkong in 1881.—Mean age at death of all who died, men, that the sold burnated that the only event and the whole of the spaces. The died of the same of the spaces are the possions. The observation of the figures who as the great respondent to your these who have sharped same of the spaces. The same of the spaces are the possions. The observation of the figures who are the cubic of the spaces. The same of the spaces are the possions. The observation of the spaces are the proper foors. The distriction for the spaces a limited to carriage by steamers, only four sailing women 46, all 43. All England in 1840—all level of the granted on the grant the grant

> The ground or basement floors which epen off this alloy are chiefly tenanted by hawkers of vegetables. tinually damp and offensive. The dwellings of these unfortunates are quite dark.
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> The drainage intended by the architect is shown in

from inhabiting such holes an these.

57. This block is new and of decidedly superior construction, and on the whole well kept. The itafloor to the main sewer. Heing badly made, leaky, Both the design and construction of existing dwel- Now in the ordinance, the whole of one part necessity of putting these enactments in, the importance of the matter may be judged from

used in the construction of house drains, and 43.—Of late years the Government have made the case from obtaining a footing, and not so entirely de-Mr. Chadwick then points out some of the connexion to the main cower, and constructed the voted to the efforts to keep it out by sanitary cordons house drain up to the front wall of the house. The remainder of the drain has been left to the ancontrolled intelligence of the Chinese builder. No care what therefore, both as regards the locality and its inhabiture of the chinese builder.

led intelligence of the Uninese builder. No care what solver is taken as to line, gradient, or workmanship. In February last a new drain was being constructed in the following manner. The drain was square I foot 3 inches wide by I foot 3 inches high. The sides which of brick on edge, and did not rest on the tile which formed the sole. Under these circumstances it need hardly be said that a great proportion of house drains are but clongated cosspools, the greater part.

them, which serves as an open drain. In one case the citing cause of liability to a choleraic spizure. This space between two houses was but 8 inches wide, and should in reality be more casely attained than the looking into it (Cleverly street). Something similar idea that cholers is both infectious and contagious, was found in Jose Lane opening from Ladder Street. when, in the strict sense of the term, it is most cer-As the arrangement of the houses is characteristic, it tainly neither. Before I proceed further, I think it tewards could not be discovered ...

45. -The slops from the upper cookhouses are con-

which is now Tung-ka-doo, is probably the largest shed to the N. C. Daily News, will be of insaling vessel that has been docked at Shanghai.

When she has been thoroughly repaired she will

Front of The Continue of the conkhonse below, as in the ease of the house than Dr. A vesshed and since 1854 I have sain that pros fair island devastated by epidemies of cholers, At other times it is but outside the house. As the small-pox, and fever, which have spread death and upstairs lodgers have no convenience for getting ril of rmin around, and this has seriously affected the rabbleh, much is stuffed into the down pipe, choking prospecity of the island. No one will go there who fifthy fluid, oczing from its imperfect joints. For the can possibly help it, and no one who can invest same reason, the house drain also is frequently 46.—Trapping, diaconnexion, and ventilation of house of house property in Port Louis. It has simply drains may be said to be unknown. The sewer gas has a free channel to the interior f the boase, except

when the drain is blocked up with filth. Eyon houses

184.-I have left the consideration of one of the most important improvements to the last, namely, the redrainage of the houses. This is so universally and urgently required that it should be undertaken at once, and special means will be required to effect it. 185. The importance of the house drains and the danger incurred by neglect in their construction have been already pointed out. In England, with workmen to some extent familiar with the work, it has been found next to impossible to secure proper design and execution by loaving the work to private builders, no matter how complete be the regulations drawn up for

by a central anthobity. With respect to the defects in existing houses in paragraphs 146 and 148 Mr. Chadwick speaks as follows :-

their guidance. The necessity for complete and ne-carate work is not recognised, and as hadly done

should be taken up again. The cost also is vastly

greater than if the work becarried out on a large scale

146.—A moment's consideration of the examples of Chinese dwellings which I have given -examples not selected for badness but fairly representative-will show that overgrowding oxists to a very serious extent, both as to the number of inhabitants within a given cubic space, and to the provision of proper proportion of open space for light and ventilation, and for giving free access to the building. Other sanitary defects also are equally apparent. The type of house is well known that buildings on such sites are exceed-ingly unhealthy, unless the most efficient mans be adopted effectively to cut off the subsoil moisture from the floor of the house. In Victoria, not only are hese pregnutions neglected, but the condition is egravated by the use of the retaining wall of the ground above as the back wall of the house, no space whatsoever being left. The construction of buildings without a proper space between the'r wall and the

ground behind should be absolutely prohibited. These extracts, which could easily be multiplied. not only from Mr. Chadwick's report! but others by the Surveyor-General and Colonial Surgeon, show clearly the uncessity of romedying the sanitary defects in our midst. Were it necessary I am sure your Excellency, who, I balieve, made an inspection of the town two years ago with my hon, friend the Surveyor-General, could tes-

diate remedy in our midst. I now pass to the second point. Given those evils, what proof is there or what assurance can be carried out we will be any the batter-for them? I hope it will not be thought I wish for one moment to read to this Council a lecture on sanitary science. I shall be as brief as possible, but I wish to quote a few instances to show the beneficial effects which follow on all sanitary improvements and what an effectual morning upon a report of Dr. Ayres, dated 5th statements respecting the existing defects of preventive against cholers and other diseases the experience of others, and that we will seriously fellow out that good old maxim, sanitary measures. Mr. Raldwin Latham in his work on Sanitary Engineering, after

has been calculated that for every unnecessary

The average mortality of the town of Croydon for works, was 23.66 per thousand, and for thirteen years since they have been in operation it has been 18.64 per thousand, showing a saving of 5.02 per thousand per 1843 the population was 10,830; in 1967 it was 50,750 showing that the population increased 100 per cent. and the death-rate reduced 40 per cent. between the extreme periods.

Then these figures are worked out and he shows what the saving has been in money. You have 2.439 funerals saved at £5 each; £12.195. For cases of sickness prevented £60,975, and the value house, which is separated from the main building by of labour saved consequent upon the prolongation expenditure was only £199,000. But this money argument is a most sordid one, for who women 46, all 43. All England in 1840—all level of the granid on the one side. Also that the speak of a subject which I feel to be 55; Oroydon in 1878—men 66.6, women 58.4; middle of the block derives its sole light and ventiment important, and that is the comparative fixed in 1878—men 56.7 women 62.2. In an Exeter in 1878-men 56.7, women 62.2. In an- lation from a narrow central alley arched over at immunity from invasion of cholera and other contagious diseases which attention to sanitary matters confers. I do not know whether any of They wash their wares in the alley, and, anthecentral the hon, members of the Conneil have had the channel is carelessly laid, the whole place is considered of going through a severe experience of cholera; if so I am sure they will all agree with me in saying no sperifice is too the section, a square channel running from cockhouse much, and no trouble too great to take if to cookhouse. Some of these dens were untenanted, we can keep this dread enemy from our doors, so it may be supposed that even poor Chinese shrink I will ask the Council to bear with me for a few moments while I read one or two extracts from some papers which were read at the annual drainage, however, was remarkably defective; the meeting of the British Medical Association at eystem of sanitary inspection is necessary to introduce and enforce improvement, and I believe that this down behind the retaining wall forming the back of of choicea raging at that time in Spain. In down behind the retaining wall forming the back of of choicea raging at that time in Spain. In one of the houses facing Queen's Road, and out under four days it had attacked 9,437 persons and it one of the Chinese. proved fatal in 3,633 cases. Cardiff itself had been attacked once or twice, and therefore there is a certain appropriateness in dealing with the subject on that occasion and in that town. Dr. Pringle, Surgeon-Major, and late of the Sanitary Department of the Bengal Army, who had had some experience of great cholera epidemics in India, read the first paper. After giving his reasons for saying that cholera is imported and speaking of quarantine, he says :--

I am convinced that, if attention were more paid to local sanitation, with the view of preventing the dis-

t received the dith from windows of cookhouses sanitation of the locality, as it is entirely due to the is shown in Fig. 44, Sheet K. Here a drain certainly went down into the gulley, but what became of it after the wards could not be discovered. at hand. Unbesied warnings bring their own punish-

we hear of the appalling mortality given by the corres-When the inhabitants of a locality see measures taken to secure a high state of sanitation, their confidence is secured, and their moral courage to successfully meet the postilence is both roused and established.

The next paper is by Dr. Paine, who was Me-The next paper is by Dr. Paine, who was Me- a large quantity of land at the disposal three storied and would therefore in accordance with who wastern hydronic rules require back-yards at least ing of the enxiety that then a sted in England to ed out by this Bill, and so, by twenty-five feet wide. The Board, however, has not as cholera was ragin r in Frence, he says:-

Even bold men grow grave, and asked, in anxious tones, how far we were prepared to cope with a foe which spread like a whirlyind and numbered its victhese improvements constitute against inroads of considered inappropriate for me instead of entering into any langthened exposition of the etiology of tio diseases which have come under my observation during the time I have had the privilege of advising

the authorities of this town. Then he gives you a history of the three opidemics of cholera in Cardiff, and the measures which had been taken, and this is the result of his experience :---

The experience of Cardiff may, therefore, be taken to prove that by increased sanitation cholera is robbod of its chief terror. In the outbreak of 1849, there were all the uncapitary con litions of soil, drainage, in the drainage of water supply, and again we find the same area to be the centre from which it spread, modified, however, by the change in the location of patients, and by the prohibition of the use of polluted water. In 1866, again it visited the town in as virulent a form as before, but was mot and checked at once by the improved sanitation and water supply; while the on ly striking incident of the epidemic was one isolated case which demonstrated the enormous power for avi which polluted water possesses. The lesso: sare th same as those to be learned in other places and countries, but here they are, however, perhaps, more sharply inculcated. Foul water, running kenne's noxious ensepcols, open drains, stagment pools, and all noxious abominations which, in the former times, abounded, are the conditions under which symptic

Then in the discussion which followed Mr. alive now. One word more, sir. The alchemist I mean the clauses which Dyke says—"Cholera had it source in filth, of old vainly sought for the philosopher's stone, to overcrowding. The Bill seeks to make overif this were removed cholera ceased." which was to turn the baser metals into gold crowding a misdemeanour. That proposal is Again, Surgeon-General Cornish, of Madras, and from which he could compound an elixir of perhaps at first sight a startling one. We will dog and he allowed SI, but should the says—"He laid special stress upon the life, which would prolong human existence and be asked "Where do you propose to house the practical fact that both in India and in England restors to age the elasticity of youth. Needless surplus population, which you propose to turn sanitary measures, improved water supply, to say all his attempts were in vain, and nothing out of doors?" The question would be a very drainage, and better housing had enormously im- but bitter disappointment awaited him after natural one to make, and unquestionably the proved public health and diminished the liability all his inbours and energies at the end of many reply will be More houses must be built. Then they came to the claim for the dog. to cholers." There was another paper read by years of wasted devotion. But we, sir, living in hap- It is only right to mention that concurrent Dr. Aitkin, about the Quarantine Congress then pier and more enlightened times have, I trust. ly with these legislative enactments against sitting in Rome, and the great faith set in found the philosopher's stone. What the overcrowding the Government propose to sub quarantine. He says-

institute any sanitary administration; and where stoop to listen to her teaching. We can pro- But it will be obvious to hon, members that they possess the radiments of such a service, the long life, and keep sickness and disease from our even if there were 10,000 empty houses, at the health-officers themselves are not educated to believe doors. It has been shown that sanitary works outskirts awaiting occupation, it is not likely the It is useless to try to impress on such men tha thorough system of drainage, must keep their water of waste products, which were considered sion, in the nature of these clauses, made oversupply and the six of their city and-villages uncon- as mere fifth and-dirt, have given and-will-give crowding a misdemeanour. Unless these clauses taminated by the products of the decomposition of golden harvests. The work is difficult and the are passed as part and parcel of this Bill it will organic matter, and most house their teeming populutions somewhat betfer than their pigs, when one notion is that typhoid fover and choices appead exactly in the same way as southting or small. poz. The views of the two schools are so hopelessly divergent that many years must Rass before we can expect any general concurrence in our belief that a thoroughly practical and well considered system of hygiene, efficiently carried out, is the one method by which such dis-

counter. I trust I have redeemed, though at a marks on one or two of the subjects dealt with clusion, I am confident that when hon, members also said that the \$105 had been spent in clothing, show the necessity of the legislation which we pro- I presume sir, it will be no violation of any officer in the line of the second of the still remained.

pose and the benefits which judging from the cial secret if I mention that the authorship of the Health Law of England, watered and diluted so His Lordship referred the case to the Re- May. experience of others, we may confidently look | measure before us is mainly attributable to the as to meet the pseuditions of Hongkong. | gistrar-General, who, he said, was far better able forward to derive from any sacrifice which the Sanitary Board, a body to which I have the And they will not fail to notice another thing, legislation may impose upon us. I now pass to honour to belong. I mention the circumstance and that is that this measure is characterised the Ordinance itself. It is divided into nine because I desire to avail myself of the first public by a manifest desire to press as little as possible parts. The first contains the definition clause, opportunity I have of saying that everymember of on private interests. They will find that the and the constitution and powers of the Sanitary | that Board addressed bimself to the considera- measure, so far from being arbitrary or harsh, Board. You will find by section 13, the Board | tion of this measure with the fullest sense of his | has been so tempered as to be-well, I was has power to make regulations concerning responsibility to the public and to vested in going to say brought to the very verge of inno less than twenty six different matters, the terests. I do not think it is any more a violation efficiency from sheer mildness—but, perhaps, most important of which I consider are numbers of official secrets to add that the Executive that is too disparaging an expression to use. 1, 2, 3, 1, 5, 14, and 15. I will not mention what Government, yourself, sir, notably, have been The Sanitary Board in the drafting of this these are because hon, gentlemen have the Ordi- disposed to approve generally the policy and measure and the Government in its approval of it this Board are to be submitted to the and that the Government has abstained from tively and both have gone on the principle that on board the steamer Carisbrooks, without the approval of the Legislative Council, and look- making the provisions of this Bill more strin- half a losf is better than no bread. I agree permission of the master. ing at the importance of the matters dealt with, I gent, although it was discovered soon after its with my hon, and learned friend in thinking it condition to make, in order that the bye-laws visions fell far short of the requirements of this Bill, but I think it will also be possible that was about to start for Singapore. He there for his part in the Peking bank robbery, reon any presumption of the existence of a nui- animated by a desire to hurt, as little as possible. hop, and learned freind. sance: the issuing of notices requiring the abate- vested interests. But the application of re- His Excellency—Hon. gentlemen, after the on board a steamer, by which they had no inten- lease is owing to the fact that he has high official the Board itself of all necessary works. Part tion in this case from the landlord interest in ledge, But the bank shroffs and others tried at a deals solely with the measures to be Hongkong. If that is so, all I will say is, that saying a few words on this subject. First of relinquish their places for a consideration. There the same time, and who received equally hard taken in case the Colony is threatened with any any landlord who will master the details of the last hon. gentle- had been several complaints lately of the noisformidable epidemic. Part 3 deals with house Bill, will find that, from beginning to end, man who spoke told us, that the very greatest, ance occasioned on steamer by similar practices. drains. It may be said that a great many of these due regard has been paid to private interests; consideration had been shown to the interests of Defendants stated they were taking pas have no friends at court their banishmen will be details might have been dealt with in the byet that concession has been stretched to the utmost private individuals by this Government. That songers on board. laws, but looking at the importance of the matter, limit consistent with the exigences and require has always, I think, characterised the way that His Worship fined first and second defendants the principles involved, and the fact that this is the ments of sanitation. I will now go straight this Government tries to act, because we believe SIO each or one month's imprisonment with first serious attempt to deal with this question, way to those provisions which may be said to that public prosperity is merely the greatest age hard labour; the other four he fined \$5 each. it is deemed advisable to incorporate them in the press peculiarly on private interests. Impriming greeate amount of individual well-being and . In the case of the first two, the fine was not full discussion thereof. By section 48 power ment to be hereafter erected and every owner of the hon, gentleman the Acting Attorney-Geneis given to the Board whenever it has reason to an existing tenement shall put his house-drain in ral has told us with regard to the evils that exist believe the drains of any house are in a defective proper order. I am told this will be an un in our midst. I have myself inspected some of sion of arms without a licence. state, to enter the premises and open the drains. due exaction on the poorer landlords. That the native parts of the town—I am told not Inspector Mathieson stated that on the 5th escaped, but may be yet brought to book, as Wu In they are found in satisfactory condition, the may or may not be so. But I have worked on the very worst parts—and I have also inspect—inst., about 11.45 p.m., he, with three Indian con-swears to be avenged, and if he likes to make a drains are to be replaced at the cost of the Board, and if not, they are to be repaired at the cost of the board, and if not, they are to be repaired at the cost of the board and ventilating the house drains of an ordinary commissioner in various places, about sixty men carrying boxes which were trial was offered to me some time ago. It is very cost of the landlord. Part 4 relates to the Chinese tenement and I find that the amount I can affirm most decidedly that I have never in found to contain opium. A short distance fur long, very curious, but as I have not the faculty windows of domestic buildings, the space un- will average about \$70. I would ask is it too all my life seen such a condition of things as ther on he saw the four prisoners and a number of Gaboriau, I declined to make a precis of it derneath the floors, and the size of the much to ask a property owner to spend \$70 in exists in this City of Victoria and in the villages of other men armed. He took from them for foreign readers. Some future Giles windows. Part 5, which is very important, deals rendering his house healthy to himself, his fami- varound us. Anything worse I have never seen thirteen muskets, three revolvers and a dozen will get hold of the papers, and will discover with buildings erected on a level site excavated by, or to his tenants? I should think not. I should think not. I should think not anywhere else. I therefore think rounds of ammunition. He took the four pri- the materials for a series of romances, with out of a slope or declivity, and from the extracts | hardly think such a sacrifice would be called an Athis is a most urgent question, which should be soners into custody. As they were going to narrations grave and gay, farcical and tragic.

ing. You have seen from Mr. Chadwick's re- efficient system of drainage. The next point on | think that we have only to show we are in ear- as politics were kept up in trade matters we port that the place i great covercrowded, and which I desire to touch, sir, is the laving of open nest on any subject, and mean what we say, and should never arrive at a proper solution of the

1884. True, sanitation is now thought of and attempt; and they have come to the conclusion that to this matter :ed, but too late; the pestilones is in their midst, the minimum space to be allowed is 300 The Bye-Laws of the Local Government Board found a population ready, by the consequences of want cubic feet for each individual. If this were prescribe that every tenement shall have a back-yard of conitation and panie, for its fatal grasp, it is thus put into force and carried out strictly at ten feet wide in order to secure the light and ventilaonce, it is calculated it would turn out about further provided that if the traement be fifteen feet pondents of the Journal of this Association in Spain. 20,000 people; therefore it is not intended to car- high the back-yard shall be fifteen feet vide, that if ry it ont all at once, but bit by bit. This see- the tenement be twenty five feet high the back-yard tion will therefore only apply to certain districts shall be twenty feet wide, and that if the tenement named in an order of the Governor in Council. be thirty-five feet high the back-yard shall be at least The Government hope to be able to place

act ig with tact and moderation, it is hoped no been able to recommend, for the reason previously hardship will arise. Section 87 says that no given; any back-yard wider than ten feet even for person who shall erect a domestic building shall This width is less than one-half that laid down by let the same until it has been inspected and cor- | English municipalities, notwithstanding that the trotims by thousands. The inquiry was not an unnatu- tified as having been built in compliance with pical climate of Hongkong would seem to exact a ral one for those who have not had occasion to mark the provisions of the Ordinance, and as being in more generous provision of air space. particularly the great strides in sanitation which the every respect fit and proper for human habitation. It will be seen from the extract which I have last thirty years have witnessed, and who do not At the end of the Ordinance you will find some read that with respect to these open yards at the know with any prevision the strong bulwarks which bye-laws for the proper maintenance of common back of human dwellings designed to afford light pidemic disease. This year again the anxiety has lodging houses.—I do not think any great prin- and ventilation to the inmates, the provisions of been renewed, and, as we meet in Cardiff, a port ciple is involved in these bye-laws. They are the Bill before us do not come up by one half which, owing to its intimate shipping connection with more matters of detail, which result from the to the English Local Government Board rethe Spanish ports, is of course proportionately liable Ordinance. Such is the Ordinance, and I ask quirements and therefore the only fear that I to the introduction of the epidemie, it may not be for it on the part of members of this Council would have would be that the open space of 10 careful investigation, as I am sure they will give feet would be insufficent. Native landlords various zymotic diseases, to explain the practical, it the most impartial consideration. View have told me before now that the Chinese tenant lessons in sanitation which are, I think, to be learned ing the importance of the matter, I am sure does not require light or ventilation. With all from certain previous outbreaks of cholers and zymo- they will approach the study of it without any respect, I submit that that is nonsense. I should preconceived ideas. I do not pretend that it is say the native tenant requires and appreciates Before Mr. A. J. Leach, Acting Puisne perfect. It would be simply impossible to light and ventilation quite as much as his land.

Judge. produce an Ordinance dealing with this important lord. At the present moment in a great many subject, an Ordinance of this length, without | native tenements if the tenant wishes to breathe some defects in it. But it has received very unpolluted air, he has to go outside into the careful attention from my hon friend the Surveyor street, and if he wishes to see he has to burn General, it has passed the scrutiny of the Sani- lights throughout the day. Some of the tenetary Beard, and I believe it occupied several of ments I have seen as dark as Erebus even their sittings. It was considered in the Exe- at noonday. That, it must be admitted, is a

outive Council, where some of its provisions were most unsatisfactory state of things, and it is modified; and I think now that it contains the gratifying to think that if hon. members will polluted waters, and general circumstances which could contribute to the spread of the epidemic, and minimum of restrictions and the maximum support the clauses which relate to the provision of the spread of the area in the special of concessions. Yiewed in comparison with the wind and in this Bill a remedy for so grave an evil.

The spread of the epidemic, and I think now that it contains the gravitying to think the support the clauses which relate to the provision of adequate space around buildings, we may legislation in England, it is far less restrictive.

The spread of the epidemic, and I think now that it contains the gravitying to think the support the clauses which relate to the provision of adequate space around buildings, we may legislation in England, it is far less restrictive. second outbreak came before there was improvement but if after further examination, and hearing I am told, again, that some of the buildthe arguments for and against it, it is found ing lots in this town have been there are medifications which can be made with- ded into sections and subsection, so small as items, therefore, he should say nothing, erout impairing the efficiency of the Bill. I am | not to admit of backyards ten feet wide. That sure the Government will not refuse to listen to may be so or may not be so. I must confess them. I beg to apologise to the Council for the that I know several lots and sections of lots great time I have taken up in explaining this myself, where, possibly, backyards might not be measure. I have two reasons which I hope will admissible. All I can say, with regard to proexcuse me. The first is that it is only within the perties of this kind is that if they are so shallow last forty-eight hours that I could seriously take as not to admit of a backyard for the purposes up the consideration of the subject and I had of light and ventilation, then they are manino time to condense these extracts. In the se- fostly unfit for human habitation, though they coud place. I have had a very sad and long ex- may, perhaps be utilised for shops or workshops, perionce of the evil effects of unsanitary condi- or for industrial or commercial purposes, or in germs live and thrive and multiply; and cholers is a tions; I have had the misfortune of seeing rela- fact, for any purpose other than that of human

alchemist vainly attempted to discover, modern mit to the Legislature at once certain extensive Most of these smaller states have not even tried to science will, I believe, give us, if we humbly building schemes in the outskirts of the city have saved thousands of human lives, and have Chinese would leave the central portions of the greatly diminished sickness; while the utilisation city to go and inhabit them unless some provitask ardnous, but let us approach it with confi- be impossible to get the population to leave the dence confidence that if we manfully persevere congested districts and go to the outskirts. The to the end success will wait upon us and our object of the Bill is, if I may use a mathematical and costs. reward will be a great one. It will neither be a | term, contrifugal. It seeks to relieve the conmercenary one nor a selfish one. It will consist gested centre of the town by sending the surplus in distributing the blessings of health to those population to the circumference or to the outnearest and dearest to us, and when spidemics skirts. It may be urged that a working man

be basished from our midst, or, when accidently and sacrifices may await us, but nothing should and evening from and to his work, and that introduced, be confined within the most modest it- daunt us. No specifice is too dear, for nothing therefore there will be a great difficulty at sanitary conditions and by the proper manage- The SURVEYOR-GENERAL-I rise, sir, to se- | the passing of this Bill to propose the construcsir, are facts, and facts which should greatly en- the subject so exhaustively, and has touched on the centre. With regard to the other mise-l

nance before them. All the bye-laws made by attitude of the Sanitary Board in this matter, have been animated by a wish to proceed tonta-Ordinance, in order to afford the opportunity of the Bill requires that every builder of a new tene prosperity. I can also thoroughly endorse what forthcoming, and they were sent to gaol.

I have read from Mr. Chadwick's report it undue one, more especially if it is considered that disposed of as soon as possible, that is, with all the Police Station a shot was fired from the The cheque used for the fraud was for Tls. 60,000. will easily be seen some legislation on this the \$70 I have named is the average and that in due regard to time being given for the thorough direction of the opium carriers, whether inten- This document was offered to a gentleman in point was necessary. Any person who shall respect of smaller tenements owned by landlords | ventilation of the subject, and for its considera- tionally or not, he could not say. erect on a site excavated out of a slope any of lesser means the outlay would no doubt be building shall leave between his wall and the much less, and might be \$30. 840, or \$50 only, large I think speaking for myself, that we should months' imprisonment slope a clear intervening space of four feet. Therefore, I can scarcely think that as regards If the basement story of the building is the drainage clauses in this measure, there can be think the urgency of the question lies in the fact prisoned. intended for cellarage or purposes other than any reasonable opposition. And while on this that we cannot go on with any of the great pub. numen nabitation it may abut against the hill subject of drains. I would desire once more to lie improvements until this matter is settled. to the beight of the basement story. But if the remind this Council of the main drainage The hon. Surveyor General has told us that he Court for being concerned with others not in and a Siberian syndicate, very rich, very enterbasement is intended for human habitation that works on which the Government has been en- is endeavouring to find outlets in various directustion that works on which the Government has been enis not to be permitted. Part 6 relates wholly to gaged for the last five years. The Department tions for the surplus population I may tell on 25th ult., at Ti Tam. Tuk, of a purse contain. privies. Part 7 regulates the space to be left over which I have the honour to preside has you that a large scheme for further reclamation ing \$10 and some cash. in front of and behind domestic buildings. been carrying out from year to year extensive at Causeway Bay has been before the Executive Fifteen feet is to be left in front of the house, works, in the construction, extension, and im- Council, and as soon as this scheme has been and along the entire back of the domestic build- provement of the public sewers of the town. An revised and printed it will be laid on this table. ing, a clear space of at least 10 feet in width is important instalment of most useful work has It will first of all be sent to the Public Works Perry & Co.) are agents for Residents abroad to be left. A modification is made in the case lalready been accomplished in this connexion, but | Committee. Well, hon gentlemen, what is the Missionaries, Chaplains, &c., in every part of the of those houses which have in accordance the task it must be confessed is one of some use of considering that, and also the Preya scheme world. Goods and Outfits supplied at Wholewith section 56 left a space of four feet be- magnitude. The town is large and there un- -which will form, of course, the connection sale prices. Shipping an passages arranged: tween the external wall and the slope of the questionably remains yet a good deal to be between this part of the town and Causeway Banking in all its branches. Full descriptive hill side. There is a provision contained in sec- done. But the whole of the money that May, and without which we can hardly expect. Catalogue post free. Offices:-79, Queen

you have seen, in out reaks the olera and other apres a around buildings, in ord r to secure we shall be allowed to spend our own money as question. He was a free trader, but he knew it diseases; the ill effects of overcrowding, and adequate light and ventilation. This Bill re- we like. But we must show we are in carnest, was a fact that foreign manufacturers were ena- doctor:—"Henoured Sir.—The girl into whom tic.building found to be inhabited in excess of a at the back of every new building, and that the are in carnest in this matter. It is a the large profits they were able to make in their benevolence is still mighty feeble;" the other, proportion of one adult to every 300 cubic future private lanes along the front of houses shall matter that must be disposed of, but, as 1 own countries. German houses were supplying the remark of a nurse about a highly-cared for feet of clear internal space shall be considered be, at least, 15 feet wide. In a letter which I said before, with all due consideration to pri- wire at seven-eighths of a penny per pound chea- baby-boy :-- "To be shure, he was the analysed to be in an overcrowded condition and be hold in my hand and which was addressed by the vate interests. I don't think I need take up per than it could possibly be produced in Bir- child; if there ever was an analysed child in the deemed a nuisance. This matter has been Sanitary Board to the Government some months your time longer, and the subject has been so mingham.

ment, and Spain now suffers from the neglect of July, carefully considered by the Sanitary Board ago the following passages occur with reference

twenty-five feet wide. In Hongkory, native tenements are general)

powerful enemy to be dreaded. Change these contions of mime and friends of mine cut down in habitation. There is one more matter in this ditions, give pure water, good drains, and healthy the prime of life, and I believe that if proper sa-Bill which I shall refer to very briefly, arrangements, and its power is gone.

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Ditary measures had been taken they would be It is perhaps the cruz of the Bill.

rage around us in other countries, we will dwell will not readily leave a bome near his work-

cases as typhoid fever, diphtheria, and cholers can secure in our fortress of cleanliness. Troubles and make a distant foot journey every morning. So, of her daughter, whom he intended marying, the Directors. The editor of the paper says, "There is much that is mysterious in cholera, but this one point is clear, that by the removal of these local unparties, in which it was stated that the intended bride should visit plaintiff's native village and the control of the current year.

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further consider this Bill in a month's time. I Being unable to pay the fine, they were im-

tion 71 whereby the ensutments of the two has been expended in the amelioration of our this tramway—what is the use of considering Victoria Street London: 2,000 References. preceding sections may be modified if they public sewers, and the whole of the money which this scheme until we have considered and passed. Advt. cannot be adhered to without undue sacrifice of may be expended in the future on work of as I hope we shall, this Ordinance? I was my. At the annual meeting of the Birmingham property. With respect to buildings erected on this nature, will be entirely thrown away if the self most particularly anxions, during the recess, Chamber of Commerce Mr. H. W. Elliott. chairland purchased of the Crown after the pass. private landlord is not compelled on his part to of working in the direction of getting this Praya man of the council, said the trade of the country ing of this Ordinance, they are obliged to do his allotted share of the work and construct scheme settled. I believe it to be a work of primary was suffering very severely from foreign compeleave a backyard of ten feet for one storey, for reconstruct the house drains on his own pre- importance. Therefore it was my anxious desire tition, profits of manufactures had diminished fifteen feet for two storeys, and twenty-five feet mises, so that the house sewage may not clog to write to the authorities at home, and try and and our markets were getting flooded with goods. for three storeys. That is a condition which can land ferment, or the gases which fermenting get them to understand the urgent need for its from other countries at prices at which it was essily be imposed, because everyone purchasing sewage throws off enter his house. It will sanction. I rather differ from the hon, gen- impossible for English manufacturers to produce the land will know beforehand the restrictions be obvious that unless the landlord is some questions to them. He looked with dismay at the results of imposed on him, and will pay for the land pelled to do his share of the work, the most me the other day on the defences, said that this competition in and round Birmingham, but accordingly. We now come to a very important perfect system of public sewers will be of no the home authorities were rather chary in it behoved them to approach the question with part of the Ordingnee, dealing with overcrowd- avail in the attainment of a complete and allowing us to spend our own money. I calmness and freedom from prejudice. So long

thoroughly handled that I have really nothing left to say. I intended only to have spoken on the question of urgency, and I hope you will consider the matter. The motion was carried nem. con. and the Hall

BILLS ADVANCED. The following Bills were passed through were present, Messrs. J. J. Keswick, in the chair. fresh:-Committee ---An Ordinance to enable the Trustees of the Rhenish Missionary Society to sell and dispose H. R. Kinnear, J. Daeth, M. C. Nickels, F. W. of certain leasehold property within the Colony Barff, E. H. Oxtey, J. Moffatt, J. M. Ringer, of Hongkong; an Ordinance for the naturalisa- and D. Glass, representing a total of 1,476 shares.

was read a first time.

dinance, 1881.

tion of Ch'an Kwok Ying; and an Ordinance to consolidate the law relating to various licences, meeting called to consider the renewal of the BILL PASSED. The following Bill was read a third time and

passed :- An Ordinauca entitled The Cattle Diseases, Slaughter-Houses, and Markets Or-

ADJOURNMENT. The Council adjourned until Friday next at

> SUPREME COURT: 6th May.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

DAVER V. CHOW BUN.

In giving judgment in this case, which was reported in our issue of yesterday, in which the claim is for \$675.80, his Lordship said that the evidence given before him, as to the first eight able him to assess the damages for those. gave the solicitor for the plaintiff the option either of going on with the case or of having adjourned at his cost to produce further, cept to remark that he did not think that plain tiff, in opening the case of seltzer water and selling some of the bottles, and then claiming for the whole case, had pursued a proper course With regard to the other claims—for the wooden stand he had allowed \$1.50. Plaintiff had admitted it was still standing, and one of the witnesses who went the next day had said it could be repaired for 31.50. As to the water filter: plaintiff had sworn it was there. Two witnesses had deposed to their not seeing it, but it might possibly have escaped them. Taking into consideration that the filter had been in use for. about two years, he bad allowed \$12 for that. For the coolie hire he had allowed 80 cents, that being the rate for eight coolies for one hour. Plaintiff stated that he had paid \$1 for medical attendance for the plaintiff produce a receipt from Dr. Manson. perore the taxing of costs, he would be allowed further damage to the extent of \$4. The auctioneer's survey fee of \$15 he had also allowed which had been the most difficult to assess. Plaintiff stated that he had given 85" for the dog. and he brought forward a witness who had of fered him : 75 for it. But it must be remembered dog, according to the evidence of another wit-

ness, was not a Newfoundland, as had been suposed when that offer was made. Taking every hing into consideration he thought \$50 was quite sufficient, which he should accordingly allow. This would bring up the total amount allowed to \$80.30. The defendant had admitted he was liable and therefore, he allowed plaintiff Judgment was accordingly sutered for \$80.30

LI WONG SHING V. CHAN SHE.

This case, in which the plaintiff claimed \$105, was of rather a peculiar nature. The plaintiff claimed on the ground that he

and paid Chan She the sum of \$105 for outit, on and after the 2nd May, as recommended by that town from the coast. The British Govern-An agreement was entered into between the plaintiff's claim to recover the money paid to her

village had cropt into the agreement. She had no Limited, for the current year.

to decide the case than he was.

POLICE COURT

6th May.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

A NEW METHOD OF OBTAINING MONEY. "Six men were charged with unlawfully being

J. Ensuson A. S. 99, stated that he went on boarding house runners. The practice was to go a dupe, and his sentence was too hard. His re-

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF ARMS. Four men were charged with being in posses. swindlers, was forced to be their tool, and so his

tion not only by ourselves but the public at _ Prisoners were fined \$100, or in default six

HIGHWAY ROBBERY. Li Ng was committed for trial at the Supreme

BYWATER, TANQUERAY & Co. (Iste Bywater

SHANGHAI AND HONGKEW WHARK COMPANY.

An extracrdinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above Company was held at the Shanghai Club on the 30th April. There F. H. Bell, and A. McLeod (Directors), J. Buchanan, J. Jaques, W. J. Clarke, G. W. Coutts, Mr. KESWICK said-Gentlemen, this is a special agreement which expires on 30th of June next whereby the properties of the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co. and Mesers. Jardine, Matheson & Co. are worked together as Associated Wharves. The draft of the proposed new agreement has been in the hands of each shareholder for a considerable time; but thus far the Directors have received no written intimation of any proposed amendments to the draft,

Mr. A. McLeon seconded the resolution. Carried unanimously, Mr. BELL then rose and proposed the following resolution :- That the Draft Agreement as circulated among the shareholdrs be confirmed, excepting the thirteen words at end of clause 6. which have been erased.

holders have any alteration to suggest.

Mr. McLeop in seconding this resolution said-Mr. Chairmanand gentlemen, as one of the moved the third Resolution-that a Committee Directors I may say that the Draft Agreement now brought before the meeting places us in a much better position than we were in before and items claimed for, had not been sufficient to an we may therefore expect a much larger dividend in future. I he resolution was then put to the meeting,

and carried unanimously. As this concluded the business of the meeting the

THE HALL AND HOLTZ CO-OPERA-TIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

shareholders in the Hall & Holtz Co-operative sons of the year, and as giving access to a fairly Mr. E. W. Rice presiding.

The other shareholders present were :- Messrs. | can be exchanged against guns, skins, and sheep. Morris, G. Galles, W. H. Short, (Directors). It is believed that other new ports will be shortly M. F. Patterson, H. J. Dyer, A. E. Skeels, Geo. opened along the coast. But if this is to lead orner, J. D. Clark, E. E. Wainswright, H. to any large result, a Bombay paper suggests Kirby, W. Hayward, J. A. Steward, S. Bow- that the policy of the British Government in ness, and W. W. Clifford (Secretary), represent- relation to the Somali country must be largely

and the latter signed.

sented by the Directors with their Report and out from Zeila at the end of last year, and which Accounts for the past year showing the working | should have returned two months ago, has not of the Co-operative Company and as they have been heard of, the inference being that the road been in your hands since the 18th instant, you is still as completely blocked as it was after the bave no doubt looked over them, and we will, since deposed Emir Ali Abdullah raided upon that he was buying on commission, and that the with your permission, take them as read. There the British post of Gildezza, and captured is very little further for me to say; business has the parrison of Punjabi policemen. The recent been fairly good, but the rate of exchange has change in the sovereignty of Harrar, though it been very bad for us, and of course there has will doubtless lead to a more settled state been very severe competition for us in every way. of things, has been greatly detrimental to trade. If any gentleman has any questions to ask I There has been much looting, both by the shall be most happy to answer them. Thore being no questions,

-The-CHAIRMAN proposed-That the Report has an agency at Harrar, has lost forty thousand of the Directors and Accounts of the Hall & rupees worth of goods. But King Menelek is Holtz Co-operative Company. Limited, as pre- credited with being a strong and an astate ruler. ented, be accepted and passed

This was seconded by Mr. G. GALLES and be something more like an orderly governed carried unanimonely. The CHAIRMAN-The next resolution I have protegé, the Emir. People are asking whether to propose is a more pleasing one-That inter- advantage has been taken of the change in the est at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum be paid situation at Harrar to ensure an open way to

Mr. JOHN MORRIS seconded the resolution direct communication with the King, and there seeins no reason why a compact should not be which was carried nem. son. bride should visit plaintiff's native village and . Mr. Morris proposed—That Mr. George R. | made with him for keeping open the trade route. that the marriage celebration should take place Corner be re-appointed Auditor to the Company

Mr. WM. H. SHORT seconded the motion. Carried nem. con.

In reply to his Lordship, defendant stated that have much pleasure in doing so-That Messrs. song, a dissipated chorus, and a beautiful duet." and pains in the stomach, such acidity, and such she did not know how such a clause as that refer. Rice, Morris, Byrns, Galles, and Short be apring to the leaving of this colony for plainting a pointed Directors of the Hall and Holtz C. Co., that chrons. At present, it has a decided flavour such a gnawing appetite, and then again such to meet some opposition, which all sa- litt : to add. Notwithstanding, I would be this stage take up the time of the Council with knowledge of it, although she admitted that the Captain Parrunson seconded the resolution, the music, or the choral body, that is "dissi- ly irritable, desponding, melanoholy, and which was carried unanimously The CHAIRMAN-New, gentlemen, if no one

length which I greatly regret, my promise to in the Bill. I shall do so very briefly indeed. digest this Bill, they will find it is nothing more &c., for the bride, with the exception of about has any questions to ask. the meeting will con-There were no questions.

Mr. CORNER proposed a vote of thanks to the Chairman and the Directors for their care of the shareholders' interests during the year carried by acclamation. The CHAIRMAN thanked the meeting, which then adjourned.—Daily News. $oxed{p}$

Shanghai, who was promised Tls. 10,000 if he

bona fide owner. The gentleman scorned the

offer, and said "The affair is so rascally, that I

We have new syndicates. A Turkish syndi-

would as required by Chinese law, declare himself

could not think of charging under Tls. 20,000."

cate is expected with credits for paper money

most confidence of both foreigners and Chinese is

here already, a very formidable competitor for

the other associations to cone with. This Sibe-

rian syndicate will not make the mistake of

its older rivals, or some of them, as it

wide clauses about premiums on tenths of knots

in speed of torpedo launches, and the reserva-

tions, equivocations, and saving clauses in other

contracts, will assuredly bring trouble and dis-

credit on the over cautions schemers who employ

Some day I will send you specimens of the

species of mean casuistry known as "economy."

culled from contracts in esse and contracts in

posse. The dislectic skill is worthy of Glad-

stone, or Peter Dens. but is so evident that I

think not even one Chinese mandarin will be

entrapped. If he walks into the parlour it will

be because he has reasons, and knows before-

hand the atmosphere of the room will agree with

him. He will not go in as an ingenuous victim.

The Spectator records two delightful Irish

such adventitious aids to business."

-Daily News Correspondent.

world, he was one!"

TIENTSIN.

Quotations are:— 27th April ced to banishment to the Hai Loong (Amoor) may receive publicity and discussion. Among the Sanitary law of England. Both the Seni in Committee such imperfections if found the six defendants. The first two were turned last week to this place with the Chinese Patna (New)\$520 to \$5221 per chest. the powers given to the Board are those of entry tary Board and the Government have in fact been be remedied. I beg to second the motion of my confirmed steamer lonfers, the other four were equivalent for a "ticket of leave." He was only Benares (New) 485 to 490 ", " ment of any nuisance; and if the terms of the medies to great evils must always ruffle some very exhaustive statements which have been tion of travelling, secure the most comfortable friends, and evidence produced since his trial to places, and spread their mats. When the comfortable friends, and evidence produced since his trial to places, and spread their mats. When the comfortable friends, and evidence produced since his trial to places, and spread their mats. When the comfortable friends, and evidence produced since his trial to places, and spread their mats. When the comfortable friends, and evidence produced since his trial to places, and spread their mats. When the comfortable friends, and evidence produced since his trial to places, and spread their mats. · EXCHANGE. sentences, are still in the lonely, windy and tiger haunted wastes of the Amoor valley. As they perpetual. Wu was a young man of talent. If he

Telegraphic Transfer3/12 Bank Bills, on demand3/17 Bank Bills, at 80 days, sight3/1 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/14 Credits, at 4 months' sight3/2 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' had not got into the dreadful mess,—and he was ON PARIS .more sinned against than sinning—he would now have been Tao-tai, with promotion to follow. But he exemplified the saying of St. Paul-who took NEW YORK .it from Menander-that "evil communications corrupt good manners"; he became involved with BOMBAY. life is wrecked. The real onlyrits, so far, have Bank, on demand 223 CALCUTTA --SHANGHAL. SHARES.

> per cent. premium. Juion Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-380 per share. Thina Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-\$70 per share.

rangusze Insurance Association - 11s. 107 Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$230 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 148 per share. Canton Insurance Office. Limited-875 ner share, er div. will carefully avoid all sharp practice. The Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$435 per share, ex div. buvers. China Fire Insurance. Company's Shares- \$90 per share. Straits Marine Insurance Company. Limited-\$30 nom. Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-\$20 nom.

Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company Shares-95 per cent. prem., sellers. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares-\$94 per cent. prem. Indo China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-10 per cent. discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited -30 per cent. discount, nominal.

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$125 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$210 per malapropisms one, from a small farmer to a China Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$136 per share, ex new issue. therefore we have laid it down that every domes | quires that an open yard of 10 feet shall be left and I think hon. gentlemen we must show we bled to beat as in the home market by reason of you where pleased to precipitate your medical Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$65 | saying that I quite believe my wife was perman-

THE INDIAN MAIL.

The Indo-China steamer Taisang, with the Indian mail, arrived here yesterday from Calcutta. The European telegrams in our Indian files have all been anticipated, but the following items are

Simul, 12th April. There is no very definite news of the state of affairs in Afghanistan. There is reason to believe that the Botak, Andar, and Tarak tribes have rison against the Ameer: that some skirmishing has taken place between His Highness' troops and the insurgents. The Cabul and Candahar dak is still running. THE INCOME-TAX IN INDIA. Mnow. 18th April.

A numerously-attended public meeting was held last night in the new building of the Central Indian Association to memorialize against the income-tax recently imposed in Mhow. Mr. Dinshaw Rustomjee presided. The leading men but it is open to be discussed now, and the of all community were present, merchants and Directors will be glad to hear if the share- traders being predominant. The first Resolutraders being predominant. The first Resolution was moved by Mr. Addurjee Dadabhoy-Mr. F. H. Bell proposed that the last thirteen that, in the opinion of the meeting, the incomewords of Clause 6 be expanged. tax is an additional burden to people who are already heavily taxed. This was seconded and supported by Seiths Raghoonath and Bhagchand Goneshram. The second Resolution -that suitable representation be made to the Government of India and other authorities -was proposed by Shaik Bolaki, seconded and supported by Seths Balchand, Chogalal Scoprotap, and Mulla Hyder Ali. Mr. Samuel Gopal be formed. It was seconded and supported by Balmokund, Ramchander Kothari, and Umkat Kajourimull. Most loyal but earnest speeches were made by several speakers. Messrs. Jamsetjee. Zal, Mohendronath Chatterjee Khyrati, and others made impressive speeches, showing the necessity of the abolition of the income-tax in Mhow. The President made the final speech, evidence. The plaintiff's solicitor elected to Chairman thanked those present for their attendand, after a vote of thanks to the chair by Mr. go on with the case. With regard to those ance, and the meeting dissolved.—Daily News. Samuel Gopal, the meeting separated at 11 p.m. The hall was crowded to suffication.

BRITISH TRADE WITH THE SOMALI COAST.

CALCUTTA, 19th April. The British authorities on the Somali Coast have opened another port—that of Kuram, about fifty miles eastward of Berbera, where a jemadar and a post of twenty men have been established. The second ordinary general meeting of the It is described as a good port, safe at most sea-Company, Limited, was held on the 30th April good trading country-that of the Ogadain, the at the Head Office, 11, Nanking Road, Shanghai, Dolbahunta, and the Nogal tribes in which English agd Indian merchandise and produce modified. Nothing has yet been done to take The notice calling the meeting, and the advantage of the capture of Harrar by the King minutes of the last meeting, having been read of Shoa, to re-establish commercial connections between the coast and the rich country of which The CHAIRMAN said-You have been pre- Harrar is the mart. A small caravan which set natives of the place and by the Abyssinian nowcomers, and an Italian merchant at Aden, who and it is believed that Harrar in his hands will place than it was under the auspices of our

The Paris correspondent of the Daily Chronicle save that the two first acts of M. Saint Mr. WAINEWRIGHT-I beg to propose, and Sasns' new opera contain "an admirable love. So weak and languid? Why such heartburns One would like to know something more about an unpleasant tasts in the mouth? Why at times of impropriety, not to say of ambiguity. Is it disrelish for food? Why is the mind so frequent-Mrs. Baudmann, who is now sojourning in apprehension of some imaginary danger, and start Dresden, is the first English actress who has at any unexpected noise, becoming agitated as clude. The dividends will be paid on the 2nd of played Lady Toasle on the German stage in though some great calamity was impending? German. She appeared in this character at the What is the meaning of these dull, sick Resident Theatre, Dresdon, in November last, headaches, these violent palpitations of the

ment have, on at least three occasions, been in

Mr. DYER seconded the resolution, which was known at the Princess's and Lycoum Theatres

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HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(FROM MESSES. PALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER.) May 6th. Thermometer -8 A.K.

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REGISTER.

5th May, 1947, at 4 7.8.

laiphong . Shangled .. 6th May, 1867, at 10 a.m. STATION.

29,91 The temperature is moderate, the humidity rather high, and W. DOBERCK

Hongkong Observatory, 6th May, 1887.

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. Previous On date On date at 10 a.m. at 4 p.m. Garometer Femperature

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7. -- itain in inches, touths and hundredths. W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 6th May, 1887.

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WHY AM I SO MISERABLE?

when all critics united in her praise: Mrs. heart, this feverish restlessness, these night Bandmann has now again assumed her maiden sweats; this disturbed and dreamy sleep, which name, by which she was for so many years brings no refreshing rest, but only meanings and mutterings, and the horrors of the nightmare? Tho answer is: Those are but the symptoms of Indigestion or Dyspensia—the beginning and the forerunner of almost every other human disease. Indivestion is a weaknessor want of power of the digestive fluids of the stomach to convert the food into healthy matter for the proper nourishment of the body. It is caused

most frequently by the irregularity of diet, or improper food, want of healthy exercise and pure outdoor air. It may be induced by mental distress-the shock of some great calamity. It may be, and often is, aggravated and intensified. if not originally brought on, by exhaustion from intense mental application, of physical overwork, domestic troubles, anxiety in business, or financial embarrassments. If the stomach could always be kept in order, death would no longer be a subject of fearful affixiety to the young and middle-aged, but what would be contemplated by all as the visit of an expected friend at the close of a peaceful and happy old age. However, the first hostile invader upon the domain of health

and happiness is Indigestion. Is there any relief, any remedy, any ours? That is the question of the suffering and unhappy dyspeptic. What is wanted is a medicine that will thoroughly renovate the stomach. bowels, liver, and kidneys, and afford speedy and effectual assistance to the digestive organs, and restore to the nervous and muscular systems their original energy.

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> GRAVE. Swiss Cottage, Walton-on-the-Naze. August 27th, 1886.

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	POLICIES on MARINE BISKS at Current Rates.	THE LINCOLN AND MIDLAND COUNTIES DRUG COMPANY, Lincoln, England, (TEADE MARH—"BLOOD MINTURE.")	Sole Importers for Hongkong & China. Hongkong, 20th April, 1887. [817] FOR SALE OR TO LET.	above Ports TO-DAY, the 7th instant, at the Noon.	ELEVEN A.M.	LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL- TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,	MAILS EXPECTED.
r .e .e	GIBB, LIVING TON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 27th September, 1886. [17]	ONE BOX OF CLARKE'S B41 PILLS is warranted to ours all discharges from the Urinary	THE Property known as "THE CLIFFS,"	YUEN FAT HONG.	Agents.	GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.	The Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking, with
	NOTICE.	Organs, in either sex (acquired or constitutional),	Apply to	Hongkong, 4th May, 1887.	Horgkong, 22nd April, 1887. 883 FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL:	SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS	the American mail of the 12th April, leaves Yokohama on the 7th, and may be expected here
4	Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS	Meronry. Sold in Boxes, 4s. 6d. each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the World. Proprietors THE LINCOLN AND MIDLAND COUNTIES DRUG COMPANY, Lincoln, England. [2380]	FOR SALE.	THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM.	HE Steamship	N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL	on or about the 13th instant. THE FRENCH MAIL. The Messervoites Maritimes steamer Anadur.
•	RISKS at § % nett per Annum, and other In- surances at Current Rates. Agencies at all the Treaty Ports of China	LIEBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT	LACTO A DO T A NOT	THE Company's Steamer J.	Thearle, Commander, will be despatched for	PLACES IN RUSSIA. N FRIDAY, the 13th day of May, 1887.	The Messageries Maritimes steamer Anadyr, with the French mail of the 8th April, left Singapore at 6 p.m. on the 6th, and may be
· ·	and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penaug, and the Philippines. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,		Expected in Japan within a few weeks, built in Holland in 1882. Length 91 feet 7 inches,	Captain J. O'Nell, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY; the 7th inst., at NOON.	ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.	at Noon, the Company's Steamship "ODER," Captein Pfeiffer, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO,	expected here on or about the 13th instant.
	Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. [721	LIEBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT. Finest and Cheapest Meat Flavouring Stock for	Width 18 feet 1 inch. Depth 8 feet 9 mches,	For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG. — Agents.	NOTICE.	will leave this Port as above, CALLING AT	The Glen Line steamer Glenshiel left Singa-
	THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-	Soups, Made Dishes and Sauces. Gannine only with the fac-simile of Baron Liebig' Signature in Blue Ink across Label.	Speed 8 knots per hour.	NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVI-	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M.	The state of the s
,	HEAD OFFICE—Hovekone. CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.	Signature in Blue Ink across Label. LIEBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT. To be had of all Storekeepers and Dealers throughout	No. 25. Yokohama, 11th April, 1887	FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, BATAVIA,	PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steamship	May, 1897. (Parcels are not to be sant on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.	Singapore on the 2nd, and is due here on the 8th instant.
	BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LUM SIN SANG. Esq.	India. Cookery books post free on application to the	TARANTERD the very best Quality		"MENZALEH," aptain Blanc, will be despatched for KOBE AND YOKOHAMA,	The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Dector and Stewardess. For Further Particulars, apply to	The P. & O. steamer Zambesi left Singapore at 10 a.m. on the 4th, and may be expected here
, i	BAN HUP, Esq. YOW CHONG PENG, Esq. CHAN LI CHOY Esq. Q. Hoi Chune, Esq.	LIEBIG'S EXTRACT OF MEAT CO., LD.	of One Dozen or loss, White Crystal Glass	Captain Joon, will be despatched as above TO- si	nortly after the arrival of the Mail Steamer	MELCHERS & Co.,	on the 10th instant.
÷.	The Company GRANTS POLICIES of MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World payable at any of its Agencies.	9. FENCHURCE AVENUE, LONDON, ENGLAND, [11]	Also GENEVER in Stone Bottles and	For Freight or Passage, apply to	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 4th May, 1887.	Hongkong, 16th April, 1887. CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE.	When-Correspondence has been mis-sent or
# 10 -	Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not.	TOR the worst form of YELLOW, SCARLET I JUNGLE, and other FEVERS, PRICKLE HEAT, SMALL POX, MEASUES, ERUPTIVE of SKIN COMPLAINTS, and various other altered CONDITIONS of the BLOOD, the GREAT REMED	GUNS, RIFLES, REVOLVERS, CART. BIDGES, SHOT, &c., &c.,	Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887.	NOTICE.	TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED	delayed (both of which are liable to happen
	WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.	LAMPLOUGH'S PYRETIC SALINE.	Nelle, (Rotterdam.)	LIMITED. FOR TIENTSIN.	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	STATES, AND EUROPE,	note on the cover, Sent to, or Received at 7 n.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the
. 4	HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. [55	"for the Fever had obtained a strong hold on me. I "a few days I was quite well."—C. Fitzgorald, Enq. Correspondent of the Manchester, Guardian	146 21. & 23, Pottinger Street.	FERLE Company's Stermship	PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steemship	and other connecting Railway Lines & Steamer	Fostmaster-General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a mistake to lot such matters pass for fear of
	FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.	Albania. FOR THIRST, HEADACHT, SEA OF BILLIOURS ICKNES CONSTIPATION, INDIGENTION, LASSITUDE, HEAD	THE LDSIECK'S	Captain Hodgson, will be despatched as above TO.DAY, the 7th May.	"ANADYR." Commandant Delacroix, will be despatched for SHANGHAI,		more trouble in the end.
	Company, are Prepared to ACCEP	BURN, and FEVERISH COLDS, LAMPLOUGH'S PYRETIC SALINE IS THE CERTAIN CURE. MOST REFRESHING TO THE SYSTEM, COOLING AN	\$1 per case of 1 dozen quarts.		hortly after her arrival with the French Mail	"ABYSSINIA," 3,651 Tons Register, Alex. Marshall, Commander Testin Mespatched for VANCOUVER. B.C.	LOCAL DELIVERY—No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Park, Kowloon, Abardeen.
	RISKS at Current Rates. PUSTAU & Co., Agents.	The Testimony of numerous surject medical gentleman has been unqualified, as to its possession of mo	CITARET, GRAND VIN LEOVILLE.	DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 4th May, 1837.	VIETOKOHAMA, on or about SATURDAY the 14th May, at THREE F.M.	on court strp, at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.
	Hodgkong, 18th January, 1884. [17] THE LATEST ADVANCE IN LIF	7 important elements to restore and maintain Head with perfect vigour of Body and Mind. WM. STRVENS, Egg., M.D., D.C.L., says:—"It d	\$13 per case of 1 dozen quarts \$14 per case of 2 dozen pints.	FOR SWATOW AMOY, FOOCHOW, AND	FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3, A. I. I. American Bark	To be followed by S. S. "PARTHIA," 4t June, and S. S. "BATAVIA," 25th June.	will be found in the Daily Press Directory.
•	THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE	prives the fatal West India fevers of their terrors." Dr. J. W. Dowstna wrote:—"I used it in the treatment of 42 cases of Yellow Fever, and am happy state I never lost a single case."	PALMER MARGAUX	HE Company's Steamship	"SONNTAG,"	These steamers, formerly in the CUNARD Service, have lately received New Engines and Boilers, and can maintain a speed at sea o	is the only authorised complete Summary of
,	5 YEAR DIVIDEND POLICE		\$7.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$8.50 per case of 2 dozen pints. LORMONT.	Captain F. D. Goddard, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 8th inst.,	here for the above Port, and will have quick	from 13 to 14 knets. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steemens from Shonghai and Japan Ports, and	h The authorised List of Mails issued in depression with this paper is the one published
	of terminating his Insurance at the end of any 5 Year period, and receiving for his Policy	a RECUET	JOHN WALKER & SONS' OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY.	at NINE A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,	Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887. (91	at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship	twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given
	each surrender value together with his share of accumulated surplus apportioned as a divident of death negur, the full amount of the Policy with	d TWO COME HOUS RESIDENCE	S 38 per case of 1 dozon bettles.	General Managers. Hongkong, 5th May, 1887. [921] THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM.	FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.) THE 3/3 L I. I. German Bark	The attention of through passengers is draw to the fact of the Canadian Pacific Railwr	y For Saigon.—Per Albany, to-day, the 7th
	be paid immediately on proof of death, togeth with a Mortuary Dividend of 50 per Cent. of a premiums received during the 5 Year period:	830 each. With Immediate Possession. Apply to	WINES AND SPIRITS. SIEMSSEN & Co.	SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.	F. H. DREWS." Rothbart, Master, will load here and will hav	" Marating at the Americal of a standard of the control of the c	For Bangkok.—Per Killarney, to-day, the
	Prospectus and full particulars may be had	Cigar Store, Next to Hongkong Dispensar	05:1	THE Company's Steamship	quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co.	travelling. Consular Invoices for Goods to United State points should be made out in quadruplicate, as	For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Taichow, to- day, the 7th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Straits, Batavia, Samarang, and Souraba-
	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Acting Agents.	Hongkong, 8th March, 1887. (5)	AT WHOLESALE PRICES. ACCONE'S SHERRY, PORT.	"ESMERALDA," Captain Tayler, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 9th instant, at Four	Hongkong, 12th April, 1887. [7] FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.	Agent, Vancouver, B.C., and sent to as.	Ya.—Per Celebes, to-day, the 7th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Banckok.—Per Claymore, to-day, the 7th
Y	Hongkong, 13th January, 1887. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE	ROOMS IN "COLLEGE CHAMBERS."	HOCKS, BURGUNDY. BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT.	For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,	THE 3 LL II German Bark "HEINRICH,"	should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until Five P. the day previous to sailing.	inst., at 4.30 P.M.
u .	ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appoint		MACHINERY, LAWN MOWERS. SCALES, BICYCLES. PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH.	General Managers. Hongkong, 6th May, 1887.	J. T. Bannau, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.	For information as to Parage or Freight apply to ADAMSON, BELT. & Co	Por Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, and Talwanico. Por Thales, to-morrow, the fall inst., at 8.30
Jan Jan	Agents for the above Company, a prepared to GRANT POLICIES again FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.	TO BE LET.	Apply to W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Bank Buildings.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL VIA AMOY.	For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 2nd April, 1887.	6 Hongkong, 25th April, 1887. [8	For Foochow.—Per Kaisow, to-morrow, the
	Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. [6	A FURNISHED HOUSE commandi	Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. [3]	(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningro, Cherco, Newdhwang, Tientsin, Hankow, and Ports on the Yangtsze.)	FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.	OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAD	For Shanghai Per Canton, on Monday,
	THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIS	Apply at THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.	CHAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE	HE Company's Steamship	TOBIQUE."	TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGER TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES	the 9th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Don Juan, en Treeder the 10th inst., at 0.30 P.M.
	MAJESTY KING GEORGE TRE FIRST. A.D. 1720.	Hongkong, 5th May, 1887.	TO NO DOE DE Para Suit (medium dur)	Captain Edwards, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 11th instant.	Davis. Master, shortly expected here, will loa here for the above Ports, and will have quit despatch.	CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE:	the 16th inst., at 10.30 A.M.
i	Agents for the above Corporation, a prepared to grant Insurances as follows:	WITH EARLY POSSESSION. 16 DISNEE VILLA"—PORFULUE.	Do. "see" RED FOIL (dry). Do. GOLD FOIL (extra dry).	For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th May, 1887.	For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887.	12 AND	MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Djemnah will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 12th May,
	MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, payable either her in London, or at the principal Ports of Ind	re, D	CARLOWITZ & Co., Sole Agents for	NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA	FOR HONOLULU.	ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING	with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe
	Chins, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for long or short periods	at Hongkong, 11th April, 1887.	Heidsteck & Co., Reims, For Hongkong, China, and Japan.	STEAM FOR	"LILIAN,"	Jamestaland for San Promoisco, 220 Yo	be Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichéry, Madras, at Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and
12 T	Current rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,00	OFFICES TO BE LET. OFFICES TO BE LET.	FOR SALE.	to ADEN, SHEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN),	above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to GONSALVES & Co.	Connection being made at Yokohama we Stanmers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.	ith The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.
•	at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 26th July, 1872.	in Stanley Street.	A Collection of about 400 UNPOLISHE GEMS. Can be seen on application:	D and GENOA; also to MARSEILLES,	Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887.	All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked address in full: and same will be received at Company's Office until Five P.M. the day P.	to MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.
	RANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.	Hongkong, 15th March, 1887.	the Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. A7 I N G T A I & C	to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF,	FOR NEW YORK.	vious to sailing. PASSAGES.—Passengers, who h	be despatched on FRIDAY, the 13th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe
-6	The Undersigned, having been appoint	to !	SHIP'S COMPRADORES, STEVEDORE	and BAGDAD. THE Company's Steamship	"MENTONE," Rafn, Master, will load here for the above Po and will have quick despatch.	rt, for China or Japan (or vice versa) within	Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, om Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c.
	ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Currents. SIEMSSEN & Co.	Queen's Road (next to the Commissar Buildings) lately occupied by the ROYAL NAV	COAL MERCHANTS. AL FRESH PROVISIONS SUPPLIED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE,	"BISAGNO," Captain Pizzarello, will be despatched as above on the 12th May, at Noon.	For Freight, apply to	an allowance of 10 °/ will be made from Ret	will be the same as in the case of the French ail- Packet.
	Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.	SEAMAN'S CLUB. Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS	No. 25, PRAYA CENTEAL.	The Steamer has splendid Accommodation for Passengers and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.	FOR NEW YORK.	of 25 % from Return Fare. These allower	Mail, or with the name of the Packet. The Post Office declines all responsibility for The Post Office declines all responsibility for
	NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887.	F you want JAPANESE GOODS Reasonable Prices		THE 3/3 L II American Ship	Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo	Unregistered Letters containing bank trues. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has enquiries into
	Company, are prepared to GRANT I SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on fire	N- 46 TEACONSFIELD" at present occup	TATE A LATER ASSULUTED OF THEM DECEMBED	ad Hongkong, 2nd May, 1887.	Cartis, Master, will lead here for the about Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight apply to	sent to the Company's Offices, addressed the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.	to alleged losses of such letters.
	olass risks at current rates. MELCHERS & Co Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.	BANKING CORPORATION. Possession from May.	THE THE THE THE PART OF THE CONTROL OF THE PART OF THE	ic	THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY O	or Passage, apply to the Agency of the C	om- the Caprains, the Agents, nor the
	CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE	Apply to BELILIOS & Co or to SHARP & Co	SUMMER TIME TABLE.	FOR PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE.	FOR VICTORIA (V.I.) THE A. I. British Bark	Hongkong, 27th April, 1887.	OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any
	INSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1805.	Estate Agents Hongkong, 11th March, 1887.	522 STRAM-LAUNCH	THE Company's Steamship	Geo. Parker, Master, will load here and v	FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. HE 100-A I British Ship	of the following Vessels during their stay in
,	THE Undersigned having been appoint Agents for the above Company are	red ro LET.	MORNING STAR" Runs Daily as Ferry Boat between Product Whake and Taim-Tsa-Tsur at the following	as above on SATURDAY, the 14th instant,	For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co	"AMPHITRITE,"	ALBANY, Brit. str., Porter Adamson, Ben &
	on the usual terms. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & C.	ROOMS in Club Chambers.	the 15th April, 1887. WEEK DAYS. BUNDAYS.	The attention of Passangers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer.	Troughams, and are	For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & C.	ANGERS, Brit. str., Pinkham.—Adamson, Bell
	Hongkong, January, 1882. HENIX FIRE OFFICE	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co	The state of the s	First class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second Class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating	FI HE 3/3 A I.I. British Bark	Hongkong, 21st March, 1887. POR HAVRE AND LONDON.	DAFILA, Brit. str., Watts.—A. R. Marty. F. H. DEEWS, Ger. bk., Rothbart.—Order: Carlowitz & Co.
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-	On First-class Godowns.	CALIFORNIA STREET, S. F. N.B.—Advertising Solicited for all No	3.90 , 4.00 , 8.30 , 4.00 , 4.50 , 4.50 ,	FOR HONOLULU.	FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.	For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & C Hongkong, 3rd March, 1887.	MANHEGAN, Brit. bk., Paulsen.—Ed. Schellhass
	On Coals	um. wich Islands, Polynesia, Mexican Ports, Pana Valparaiso, Japan, China, New Zealand,	the 555 6.15 6.55 6.15 6.15	WITH OPTION TO CALL AT YOKOHAMA. THE American Ship	THE 100 A I British Ship "NARCIESUS."	NOW ON BALE.	SPINAWAY, Brit. soh., Garrick.—Siemasen & Co. TA HONGHONG, Siam. ship, Jacascher.—Order. VELOCITY, Brit. bk., Martin.—Pustan & Co. VELOCITY, Brit. bk., Martin.—Batterfield. &
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3 A	A		given of any stoppages.	33 Hongkong, 6th May, 1887. 1928	Hongkong, 22nd April, 1887.		
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